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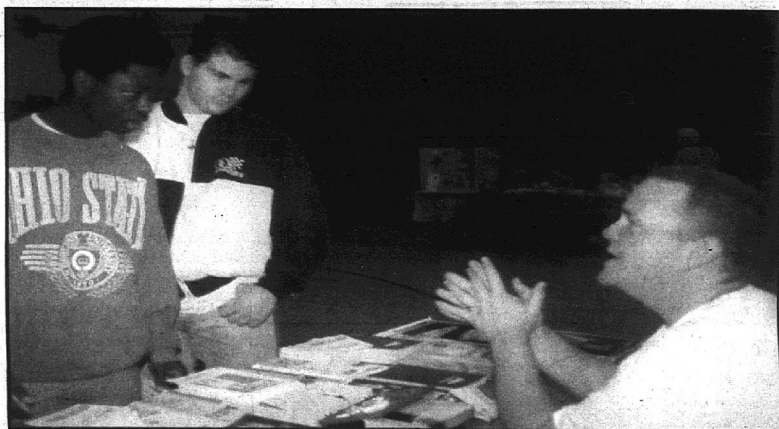
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THIRTY-FIVE CENTS



Deon Ware, left, and Jerry Clark, students at Madison High School, talk to Bruce Devereaux of the Madison County AIDS Project at a health fair held at the school.

## Health awareness

Students hear about AIDS, cancer, nutrition

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

Bruce Devereaux is not shy when he talks about AIDS prevention, and he got a chance to share that information with some local high school students last week. Devereaux is a member of the Madison County AIDS Project, one of twenty health-related groups that took part in the annual health fair at

Madison High School last Wednesday. Pat McDermott, drug and alcohol abuse prevention coordinator for the school, said she was pleased with the students' response to the fair. Throughout the day, students got to talk to counselors, health-care providers, and others during their physical education classes. Two of the more popular booths were Mary Kay Cosmetics, which provided information about skin care

and beauty tips, and the Madison County AIDS Project. "The number one story we want to get out is abstinence and to stay away from drugs, but we are promoting condom use today," Devereaux said. Included in their display were a number of condoms, both male and female. They did not hand out condoms, but told students they were (See FAIR, Page 5A)

## Laidlaw plans own clean merf

Facility will be ready by fall

By Scott Wuerz  
Staff writer

Yet another player has entered the "clean merf or dirty merf" drama in Madison County. On Monday, Laidlaw Waste Systems announced that it will build a clean merf near its compost site and landfill in Roxana.

Laidlaw senior division general manager Larry Giroux said the new merf — materials recovery facility — will open this fall.

The state passed legislation in 1990 requiring counties to cut the amount of garbage that is dumped in landfills by 25 percent by July 1, 1996, and Giroux said he is confident the new facility will help the county meet that goal.

"We're all very excited about this opportunity," Giroux said. "Since last fall, our commercial recycling program has doubled in Madison County."

Currently, one third of county residents live in communities that participate in clean merf recycling programs, Giroux said.

Laidlaw offers curbside recycling in Collinsville, Maryville and Troy. The term "merf" is used by many as the nickname for a materials recovery facility. If such a facility handles only

recyclable materials already separated from trash, it is referred to as a clean merf. If the materials remain mixed, it is a dirty merf.

Laidlaw's announcement comes at a time when a number of Madison County municipalities are split between the concept of clean merfs and dirty merfs.

By a 2-vote margin, the Madison County Board endorsed the clean merf concept in March.

But board member Anthony Bosich (D-Wood River) sided with mixed-waste recycling proponents. "I still think the board members who voted for a clean merf never even considered mixed-waste recycling," Bosich said. "People will be more likely to participate (in a dirty merf program) because they don't have to do any extra work. If they don't participate, there's no way we're going to meet the state requirements."

But Giroux said county residents know the importance of recycling and are becoming used to sorting their waste materials.

He said a clean merf is a cleaner, more efficient alternative. "We can be sure everything that goes into this facility will be recycled."

Bosich said he has recently talked to Norton Environmental of Independence, (See MERF, Page 5A)

## Prosecutors get help

By Scott Wuerz  
Staff writer

Madison County prosecutors will unleash a new weapon this week that may greatly increase their ability to fight crime.

Madison County State's Attorney's Office representative Mark Von Nida said DNA evidence will begin to be presented in the murder trial of Kareem Jett in Edwardsville.

It will be the first time the controversial, yet potentially valuable tool will be used in a case tried in the county. "I think science has finally arrived at the point where DNA evidence will become a major tool," Von Nida said. "This is the most major advance in criminology since fingerprinting."

Illinois State Police Research and Development Director Susan Johns said DNA testing is a process that allows criminologists to analyze evidence such as blood, other bodily fluids, skin or hair found at a crime scene for a specific genetic pattern which, like a fingerprint, is unique to each individual.

Jett is on trial for allegedly murdering 78-year-old Irwin Dollinger and the attempted murder of Bernice Boda after

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the couple returned to Boda's home from a senior citizens' dance in October 1993. Prosecutors say DNA testing will link Jett to the crime by proving blood found on his shoes after his crime belongs to the victims.

Johns said two DNA research labs — both in Springfield — have opened in the state in 1992, and technicians from the labs have testified in about 30 trials since that time, but not in Madison County until now.

"Because it is such a time-consuming process to train technicians and set up new labs, we were only able to use DNA evidence in the most important trials," Johns said. "But now it is finally available on a statewide basis."

"We're currently in the process of setting up two more labs in the state," Johns said. "DNA evidence is most often useful in cases of violent crime."

"Anytime there is a body fluid transfer DNA is generally useful," Johns said.

"DNA evidence is especially useful in (See DNA, Page 5A)

## Fire at tavern is called suspicious

Authorities are calling "suspicious" a fire early Monday morning that gutted a garage attached to a tavern in East Granite.

A woman and her young son — asleep inside the building at the time of the blaze — escaped unharmed. The fire at Xira Innings tavern, 2715 E. 23rd Street, began at about 4:15 a.m. Monday. Firefighters remained on the scene for more than two hours investigating the source and nature of the blaze.

Damage to the building was estimated at \$10,000.

Vicki Townsend, 40, told police that she and her son, David, 10, were sleeping in a residential portion of the building when she thought she heard a noise in the rear of the building.

Townsend went to check the noise and discovered that the building was burning.

A nearby resident told police he thought he saw two young boys running from the building before the fire started.

He gave police a description of the boys' clothing.

A police officer on the scene to investigate a report of a possible garage burglary reported that the rear of the building was completely engulfed in flames when he arrived.

Fire investigator Bryan Schmidtke said the fire apparently started in the northwestern corner of the building, near a garage.

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Nancy Whitehead displays the award she recently won.

## Custodial school worker honored

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

Nancy Whitehead likes her job.

Nancy and her husband, James, both mentally handicapped, are workers in Specialized Service Inc.'s "Custodial School" program at Scott Air Force Base near Belleville.

Nancy, an alternate supervisor with the program, recently received the Richard Lovins Memorial Award for outstanding achievement and exceptional character.

As part of its job training program, Specialized Services has a contract with the base to provide janitorial, food service and grounds maintenance workers. The Custodial School consists of three buildings with about 132,000 square feet.

According to Janey Rogers, director of government contracts for Specialized Services at the base, there are 237 workers in the program.

"Nancy has functioned very well here," Rogers said. "She's just A-O-K."

Nancy began working at the (See WORKER, Page 5A)

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## LOCAL NEWS



The gutted interior of the Cadillac



Jeff Pruitt, left, of Fairmont City and Ken Mims of Collinsville remove the front of the vehicle. Both men are employees of Metro East Salvage.

## 'Park Smart': Car strippers aid thieves



(Staff photos by John Swistak Jr.)

The Cadillac as it looked before the teardown.

By Nicole Vaughn  
Staff writer

Last week four men reduced what had been a 1985 Cadillac to an unrecognizable heap of car parts in just a matter of minutes. The men are employees of the Metro East Salvage Yard in Caseyville. The "car stripping" demonstration, held at the salvage yard, was part of "Park Smart," a program that will mark its second year later this month.

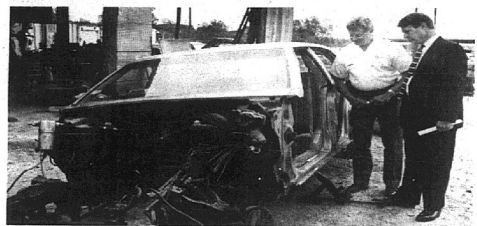
"It's an eye-catching way to draw attention to the growing incidents of auto theft," said Matt Epstein, a spokesman for Park Smart. The statewide program is administered by the Illinois Anti-Car Theft Committee and locally by the Metro East Auto Theft Task Force.

"It illustrates how easy it can be for a group of individuals to steal a car for parts. It's done very quickly," Epstein said.

At last Wednesday's demonstration, the four-man team almost completely dismantled the Cadillac in less than 10 minutes.

In order one to 10, the 10 "most wanted" vehicles in car thefts in 1993 were: the 1984 Oldsmobile Cutlass Supreme; 1986 Chevy Camaro; 1986 Cutlass; 1987 Cutlass; 1985 Camaro; 1984 Buick Regal; 1987 Chevy Caprice; 1991 Chevy S10 Blazer; and 1985 Buick Regal.

"The biggest misconception is that people think the sportier or luxury cars like the Lexus and the Mercedes are the ones that thieves are after, and that's just not true," Epstein said. In fact, older cars are more likely to be stolen than newer cars. Epstein said that is due in part to designs in consecutive years that utilize the same parts.



Dale Fredeking, left, and Police Chief Roger Richards of the Fairview Heights Police Department look over what is left of the vehicle less than 10 minutes after the teardown began.

"The door of a 1983 model may also fit the 1984 and 1985," Epstein said. "That's why you see so many older model cars on that list."

While car theft is an increasing crime — national figures show that about three vehicles are stolen each minute — there are things motorists can do to protect their vehicles.

Installing car alarms and even simple tasks like rolling up windows and locking car doors can thwart would-be thieves, Epstein said.

"In almost every instance, the car thief is going to go for the car that's easiest to steal," Epstein said. "A car that is secured, even at home in the driveway, is just safer."

## Hoffman urges change in child abuse system

Republicans and Democrats need to drop party loyalties and combine to pass legislation to help abused Illinois children, Rep. Jay Hoffman urged last week.

Hoffman of Collinsville, State Reps. Tom Dart, D-Chicago, and Louis Lang, D-Skokie, and child advocates held a press conference outside the Madison County Courthouse to drum up support for a legislative package called KIDS INITIATIVE '96 to reform the state foster care and adoption system.

"Illinois kids are abused and neglected every day," Hoffman said. "Some go through 16 or 17 placements prior to the age of majority; something needs to be done."

Hoffman said the number of foster children is expected to grow from 45,000 to 59,000 by July 1 with only 1,200 adoptions projected this year. A child has a one in 60 chance of being adopted, he said.

The KIDS package contains 50 child protection bills that Hoffman said Republicans have tabled or otherwise killed in the Illinois Legislature.

Hoffman and Dart served as co-chairmen of the 1993-94 House Subcommittee on Child Welfare, visiting abused children in hospitals, talking with state agency workers and foster parents on problems with the state's child protection system.

Hoffman and the others donned pale blue ribbons in remembrance of National Child Abuse Prevention Month.

Among the contingent was Dorla Larson, from the Campaign for Children First. The Orion mother of a slain daughter announced the group will sponsor a children's rights rally at noon on April 25 at the State Capitol building.

The rally is to generate support for bills in the KIDS INITIATIVE '96 package and to remember murdered children by placing ribbons on the Illinois Child Victims Memorial Tree.

The legislators' prime target was the Department of Children and Family Services, which Lang described as "a department in chaos, a department in turmoil."

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## Tape shows defendant admitting beating

Kareem Jett told police he participated in the beating of an elderly couple but was not responsible for slashing their throats, a videotape revealed in court.

Jett, 16, of the 500 block of Hillsboro Avenue in Edwardsville, is on trial on murder and attempted murder charges in the Oct. 7, 1993, killing of Irwin Dollinger, 87, of Troy and the beating of Bernice Boda, now 70, inside Boda's Edwardsville home.

Madison County Assistant State's Attorney Susan Jensen played two videotaped statements by Jett for the jury Thursday in the courtroom of Madison County Chief Circuit Judge Edward C. Ferguson in Edwardsville.

In the first of two statements recorded by police Oct. 13, 1993, Jett denied knowledge of the attacks.

He told police he attended Edwardsville High School homecoming events the night of the attacks and went home.

After the first statement, authorities showed Jett a bloody stick allegedly used to beat the couple and asked Jett if he could explain why his fingerprints might be on the weapon.

"Jett said the stick did have something to do with the incident and he wanted to make a second statement to tell the truth," Illinois State Police special agent Brian Latham testified.

A co-defendant in the case, Anthony Townser, 19, of Edwardsville, pleaded guilty to

the attacks in January. He is facing life in prison for his role.

Edwardsville Lt. David Bradford, who also investigated the attacks, testified Jett told police he was hesitant to tell the truth because he was afraid of Townser.

Dollinger and Boda were beaten about 10 p.m. Oct. 7, shortly after returning from a senior citizens' dinner and dance. Dollinger never regained consciousness after the attack and died in a hospital two days later.

Boda, who was severely beaten and her throat slashed,

crawled to a phone in her bathroom after the attackers left and called police.

Jett told police in his second videotaped statement that he met Townser while walking near Jett's home and agreed to go for

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## Madison man indicted on battery charge

William L. Lockett of Madison was indicted by a St. Clair County grand jury Friday on one count of aggravated battery.

The indictment alleged that Lockett, 26, beat James Newsome in the head and face with a three-foot ax handle March 17, intentionally causing him harm. Lockett, of the 700 block of Webster Street, was charged March 20 and was released March 24 after posting \$200 bond.

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## Rabies clinic set for Saturday

The Bellemore Animal Hospital will sponsor a rabies clinic from 1 to 3 p.m. Saturday, May 6, at the Madison City Garage, Third St. Dr. Tim Holt of the Bellemore Animal Hospital will be the veterinarian.

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## County providing free recycling guide

Madison County residents looking for a site to discard recyclable materials can let their fingers do the walking.

The Madison County Solid Waste Recycling Program has published its first official Green Pages recycling guide listing dozens of locations that accept recyclables.

"We hope this guide can be of assistance to our residents," said Denise McCleary, the county's solid waste coordinator. "We've published guides before, but they haven't been this nice. This should really come in handy."

The guide is currently available at the County Administration Building at no cost. Residents are encouraged to contact McCleary to request a copy through the mail.

"We've printed 10,000 copies and we aren't sure how to distribute them yet," she said. "I'd be happy to send them though the mail until we think of an easier way."

The 16-page guide lists dozens of drop-off sites for a variety of materials, including books, cardboard, clothing, furniture, glass, grease, junk mail, newspaper, office paper, paint, plastic, polystyrene, scrap metal, aluminum, toner cartridges, automotive materials and yard waste.

The guide lists the general rules for material preparation prior to discarding in addition to a list of communities which provide curbside recycling programs.

A list of seasonal programs is also included, reminding residents about Christmas tree disposal sites, hazardous waste collection days, phone directory drop-offs and tips on yard waste management.

"We've included all of the centers, programs and facilities that accept materials that we are aware of," McCleary said. "There's a possibility we may have left some out. We would like folks to let us know if they have a facility that wasn't listed. We'd like to include them the next time."

McCleary also cautions residents to call the listed centers prior to making a trip to verify their hours and rules.

"Sometimes these centers change their policies so it would be wise to give them a call," she said. "We've listed centers for almost any type of recyclable so the guide should come in handy."

Officials expect positive feedback once the guides are distributed. "We get tons of calls every day from people who are looking for drop-off sites," she said. "They're calling all the time so it's pretty obvious the recycling mode is kicking in. We want to help the effort."

The guides are made of recycled materials, including newspaper and magazine paper, McCleary said.

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(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

**Class tree** — Neidringhaus School principal Ellen Voles puts the first shovel of dirt around a newly planted Bradford Pear tree at the school while "Room Dad" David Rosenberg holds the tree straight. Sixth-grade students in Elizabeth Hall's class watch the ceremony. The class bought the tree along with two Red Bud trees with money they donated and collected through recycling.

## New judge gets low marks in poll

By Scott Wuerz  
Staff writer

In a recent poll of Illinois lawyers, a 3rd Judicial Circuit judge received the lowest approval rating among 152 judges in the state.

Illinois State Bar Association representative David Anderson said Associate Judge Ann Callis-Rongey, who was appointed to the bench in January of this year, received a 53.85 approval rating in response to a survey the group took asking lawyers if they thought judges were qualified for their positions.

Anderson said the average score in the survey was an 87.7 approval rating.

"There is no real grading system as to whether a judge passes or fails the test," Anderson said. "But I think the results speak for themselves. The approval rating for each of the judges shows the percentage of their peers who think they do a good job."

In addition to the question about general qualification, lawyers were asked if judges were qualified in "six essential qualities" needed for the position, including integrity, impartiality, legal ability, temperament, court management and health.

Although Callis-Rongey received average scores in most categories, she received only a 44.87 approval rating for her legal ability and a 74.32 rating for impartiality.

Anderson said he thinks the ratings may have been low because of Callis-Rongey's lack of experience.

She has only been a practicing attorney for less than five years, since graduating from St. Louis University School of Law in 1990.

Since that time she worked for a short time in the St. Clair County State's Attorney's Office before joining the law firm of Cuvier, Keefe, Yearsa, Brauer and Bartholomew in Belleville.

In 1992 she moved to the law office owned by her father, Granite City attorney Lance Callis, before joining the Madison County State's Attorney's Office later that year.

Madison County State's Attorney's Office representative Mark Von Nida said he thinks the poll was unfair because Callis-Rongey had been on the bench for such a short time.

"When she worked at the State's Attorney's Office her peers found Ann Callis to be a good attorney with a broad knowledge of the law," Von Nida said. "I think the poll results reflect the vestiges of the good old boy network of attorneys who don't believe that a young, attractive woman is capable of being a judge."

"To a large extent it isn't fair to rate her because she has been a judge for such a short time. That most of the attorneys who responded couldn't possibly have had a case in front of her."

Approval ratings of other 3rd Circuit judges were: J. Lawrence Resner 96.91; David Herndon 95.19; Robert Hennessey 95.15; Lewis Mallot 94.08; Daniel Stack 93.10; Lola Maddox 90.43; Michael Meehan 88.59; Wendell Durr 83.80 and Ellar Duff 77.36.

Associate Judge James R. Harvey of the 4th Judicial Circuit received the highest rating in the poll with 100 percent approval in terms of his general qualification and in the categories of integrity, legal ability and health.

The lowest score, a 5.3 percent approval rating, was received by a 10th Judicial Circuit judge who was convicted earlier this year of possessing cocaine, Anderson said.

The ISBA has conducted the survey in April for more than 20 years, Anderson said, because circuit judges decide each May whether or not to re-appoint judges to new terms.

## 41 faculty proposals get funding at SIUE

Forty-one faculty proposals have been funded for the 1995-96 academic year under the Excellence in Undergraduate Education (EUE) Program of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, said SIUE Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs David Werner.

This is the 10th year the university has made the program possible through reallocations within the university budget.

Projects funded ranged from \$3,763 for five new Interdisciplinary Studies courses related to art, music, and science to \$582 for a set of 40 cases plus teaching notes from the Hartwick Humanities in Management Institute, a study text that includes excerpts from texts, speeches, or incidents from history with contemporary articles about management and leadership issues.

Mary Ann Boyd, a professor of nursing and coordinator of the Excellence Program, said many outstanding proposals were considered. She pointed out that the Interdisciplinary Studies project funded by the EUE is an excellent example of resulting benefits for the students under the annual reallocation program. "Such interdisciplinary programs enhance a student's ability to integrate disciplines within a general education framework," Boyd said.

Examples of proposals that received funding through the Excellence Program include: a mentoring program to bridge the gap between faculty and students, \$4,280; funding for theater tech-design students to attend the 1996 USITT Convention in Fort Worth, Texas, \$3,600; a class to be taught by George Sillescu, principal clarinetist for the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra, \$1,000; and enhancement of learning programs for Residence Hall students, \$2,460.

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## Crossroads making customer-friendly changes

By Scott Queen  
Staff writer

Furniture shopping isn't going to be the same. Crossroads Furniture is making customer-friendly changes in some St. Louis-area stores that will allow shoppers to relax, discuss their purchase plans comfortably, and get a soft drink at a fountain-style dining area, called The Customer Cafe.

Another new addition at Crossroads, the Kids Corner, is a

play area designed to entertain children while their parents shop for furniture. Situated near the store's main office, the play area offers toys and games, and is equipped with a television and videocassette recorder to show cartoons and G-rated movies.

"Meeting our customers' needs is our number one priority," said Ken Collier, area manager of St. Louis Crossroads Furniture.

"We wanted to create a

customer-friendly store that minimizes outside distractions so our customers can take their time in making a furniture decision."

One of the Crossroads Furniture stores with the new Kids Corner and Customer Cafe is the recently-remodeled Fairview Heights store, which reopened March 3. That store just added 12,000 square feet of display space and now has more than 57,000 square feet.

In January, a new Crossroads Furniture opened at 14101 Manchester Road in west St. Louis County. It, too, includes a Customer Cafe and Kids Corner. That store has 53,000 square feet of display space.

Joe T. Lanham, the president and chief operating officer of Rhodes Inc., the parent company of Crossroads Furniture, said the company plans to remodel or refurbish all of its 80 stores by the end of 1996.

## Montessori School plans yard sale

The Montessori School will have an indoor yard sale from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, May 6, in the basement of the school, which is located at 4401 Illinois 162 in Granite City. The sale will be held rain or shine. A wide variety of items will be available, including a good selection of infant and children's clothing.

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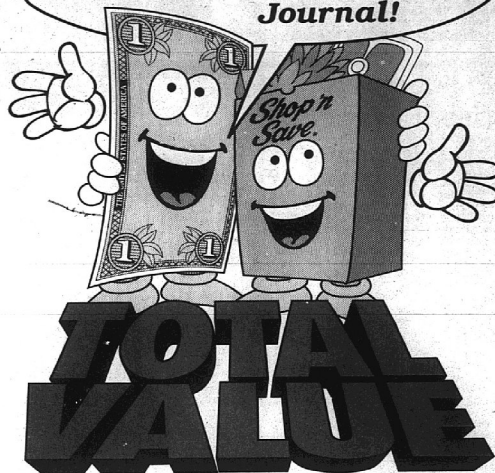
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## FAMILY



**Fast talk** — The Granite City High School Debate team recently traveled to Freeport High School. After five rounds of preliminary competition, Jason Mathes was the third place novice speaker and Brian McMillan was the first place varsity speaker. In the novice division, in the elimination rounds, Venessa Duckett was a quarterfinalist, Amanda Solomon was a semifinalist and Mathes was a finalist. In varsity elimination rounds, Eric Loftus was a quarterfinalist and McMillan was a finalist. Mathes and McMillan debated for the championship in their respective divisions and both placed second. Pictured standing from left are Solomon and Duckett. Seated from left are Mathes, McMillan and Loftus. The team is coached by Ron Pennell.

## Practitioner program gets SIU approval

A new academic program that addresses the need in Southern Illinois for nurse practitioners to provide health care has been approved by the Southern Illinois University Board of Trustees for the SIU at Edwardsville School of Nursing.

The program is formally titled Primary Care Nurse Practitioner Master's and Post-Master's Education, School of Nursing. It will be established effective fall semester, subject to approval by the Illinois Board of Higher Education.

Nurse Practitioner will offer a fourth role option available to students. Currently, students may choose three options, clinical nurse specialist, teacher, or manager, after choosing an area of clinical specialization.

With the addition of the new option, students in community health nursing will be able to choose a role option of family nurse practitioner, and students in medical-surgical nursing will be able to choose adult nurse practitioner.

The nurse practitioner role preparation requires a longer time for the program since students must spend at least 500 hours in clinical practice to take the certification examination.

The new program will require new state resources, and a request of \$250,000 has been recommended by the Illinois Board of Higher Education for approval by the Governor.

Additional state resources will be required in subsequent years to fully develop the program. Three task forces that have examined the needs for health professionals in Southern Illinois recommended preparing nurse practitioners to meet the need for primary health care. The task forces were: SIU Health Education; Health Professions Education and Workforce; and Southern Illinois Strategy for Infrastructure, Education, Economic Development, and Health Care.

## Granite City 7th in math competition

O'Fallon High School continued its hold on Division AA with this year's win in the Illinois Council of Teachers of Mathematics (ICTM) regional competition. O'Fallon finished well ahead of Edwardsville High School, which managed two years ago to wrestle first place from O'Fallon. But, last year, O'Fallon took back the gold and has continued its winning ways this year. The event was conducted recently on the campus of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

Division AA encompasses schools with more than 750 enrolled, while Division A includes schools with less than 750 students. Winners will advance to the state competition April 30 at Illinois State University in Normal.

Throughout the state, more than 280 schools competed at the regional level for team and individual rankings. There were 16 schools competing at the SIUE event, said Paul H. Phillips, professor of mathematics and statistics at the university.

Phillips said skills tested included factoring, logarithms, inequalities, logical reasoning and creative analysis used from algebra through calculus. Scoring was based on accuracy and speed, he said.

The order of the winners for the Division A high schools were: Sparta, Red Bud, Waterloo, Nashville, Bond County, Mater Dei, Columbia, and Gibault; for Division AA: O'Fallon, Edwardsville, Carbondale Community, Belleville West, Collinsville, Highland, Granite City and Jersey Community.

By competition category, local Division AA results were: Granite City — Team Algebra I, fifth; Eight-Person Freshman-Sophomore, sixth.

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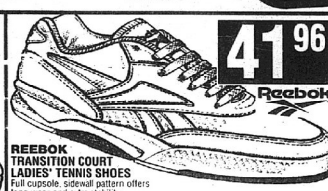
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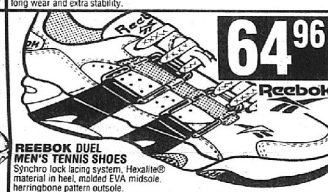
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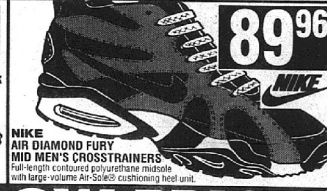
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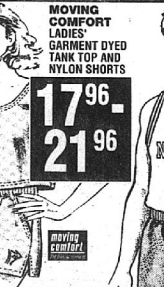
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## Artist returns to BAC roots

When New York artist Nicholas Taylor was growing up in Belleville, his father told him to look around and he could find art in everything he saw.

Taylor recently told students at Belleville Area College that this little piece of advice helped spark his interest in art.

Today, 21 years after he attended art classes at BAC, Taylor is a renowned musician, photographer and multi-media artist.

Taylor held a workshop, studio critique, and slide lecture on his work recently at BAC's Belleville Campus as part of the Fine Arts Week activities.

These activities were held in celebration of Community College Month in April.

He said his great influences in art were Leonardo da Vinci, Raphael (Raffaello Sanzio) and Dadaism. He also was influenced by Ron Tom, his art instructor and former head of the art department at Belleville Township East High School, and his instructors at BAC, including Dale Threlkeld.

Currently, Taylor is working on a series of paintings titled "Excerpts from Planet Orange." The paintings include figures in robes with speared fish. He has been working on this series since 1992. Before "Planet Orange," he worked on a series of paintings of fictional baseball heroes. This series was done on pieces of antique wood that he found in the streets of New York.

"A lot of people have asked me to return to this series," Taylor said. "I may do that in the future, but for now I am concentrating on Planet Orange."

## Reading program

Every student in Dee Wright's first-grade class at Prather School has read 100 books for the independent Reading Program. Each week, room parent Paula Ward monitored students and worked with teachers to see that every child reached the goal. The Independent Reading Program recognizes and rewards children who read 100 books each year.



## 1,000 win recognition

More than 1,000 students at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville were recognized for academic excellence on Sunday, April 9, at a special Honors Day Convocation in the University Center.

For Honors Day recognition, students must maintain a point average of 3.50 or better (3.0 is equivalent to B; 4.0 to A). In addition, students must have completed and passed at least 24 calculated hours of study at the university to be eligible. Students with a grade point average of 3.90 or above are indicated by an asterisk (\*).

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Seniors - John Cawly, Dawn Hamm.

## Lakin wins alumnus award

The Alumni Association board of directors of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville has selected F. Thomas Lakin of Wood River to receive this year's "Distinguished Alumnus Award."

The award will be presented at commencement exercises May 6 by Judith Verseman, Edwardsville, president of the Association.

A 1964 graduate of SIUE, Lakin is principal shareholder of the 75-employee law firm that bears his name in Wood River. He inaugurated the firm with only a secretary and a legal investigator following graduation from law school at the University of Louisville.

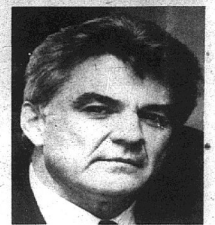
A past-president of the SIUE Alumni Association, Lakin continues to serve his alma mater as president of the SIUE Foundation and as a member of the University Park board of directors.

A member of the Democratic Party National Committee, he is recipient of the highest award given by the Illinois Democratic Party. His other honors include Labor Man of the Year (1993) and the Chairman's Award of Recognition from the Madison County League.

U.S. Senator Paul Simon of Illinois described Lakin as, "a person with a great sense of public service, who is willing to get in battle for the causes he believes in. Some people take an interest in public service and talk about it. Tom acts."

Lakin, who presented the university last year with funds for a Presidential Scholarship, said his involvement with SIUE is in "appreciation, not repayment, for what happened here (SIUE) for me and an opportunity to help others come up."

The Distinguished Alumnus Award was established by the SIUE Alumni Association in 1974 "to recognize outstanding professional achievement by a graduate of the university."



F. Thomas Lakin

## Storytelling set at Mounds

Music, storytelling, a nature culture hike, an archaeological field school, and Kids' Day are among the activities during May at Cahokia Mounds State Historic Site.

A music and storytelling event will be held Saturday, May 6, at 1 p.m. Mike's Group, consisting of non-Native American members, will perform Plains music, song and dance. At 2 p.m. Makia Malo, a Hawaiian storyteller, will tell stories from the Pacific Islands, and the Indians from the Andes Mountains will play traditional musical instruments. The program is sponsored by the University of Missouri-St. Louis and the 16th Annual St. Louis Storytelling Festival.

A five-mile Nature Culture Hike through archaeological and natural areas will be featured Saturday, May 6, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. An archaeologist and a naturalist will lead the free hike and explain the prehistoric features and Native American uses of plants encountered along the trail.

## Women's Club luncheon May 9

The Christian Women's Club serving Madison County will hold a "Hats Off To Spring" luncheon on Tuesday, May 9, at 12:15 p.m.

The program will feature a musical fashion show of new and antique hats by talented vocalist Beverly Noonos.

The luncheon will be held at the Holiday Inn Ballroom, Eastport Plaza Drive, Collinsville. The cost of the luncheon is \$10, payable at the door.

The speaker will be Dee Moore from Leaf River, Ill., on "Bridging the gap in a marriage of many differences."

The Christian Women's Club, which is non-denominational, is part of an international organization which has more than 2,900 groups across the North American continent.

A unique feature of the group is that there are no dues or formal membership. All women are cordially invited to attend. A free nursery will be provided. Reservations for the luncheon and nursery are essential and should be made by noon May 5.

To make a reservation or to receive more information about Christian Women's Clubs, please contact June at 288-7108 or Jackie at 667-7271.

Participants should bring a bag lunch and beverage, and dress appropriately for the weather. The hike will be canceled if it rains.

Kids' Day, one of Cahokia Mounds' most popular events, will be held Sunday, May 7, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. There will be many hands-on activities and demonstrations for kids of all ages, including arrowhead flintknapping, shell bead making, animal track identification, atlatl spear throwing, pottery molding, face painting with prehistoric designs, Indian games, food processing, and fingerweaving. The Kahok Dancers will perform at 2 and 4 p.m.

There will also be a birds of prey exhibit by the World Bird Sanctuary and an animal pelt exhibit from the Illinois Department of Conservation. Kids' Day is free and open to the public.

A six-week archaeological field school conducted by Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville and the University of New Mexico begins Tuesday, May 30. The course will feature work on and around Mound 48, and will include subsurface coring, mapping, artifact analysis and test excavations. Students may register for graduate or undergraduate credit. For further information, contact Dr. William Woods at 682-3641 or 682-2966.

The "Native Plants and Animals" exhibit continues through mid-June. It features photographs, posters, illustrations and mounted specimens of the flora and fauna native to Illinois and how they were used by the Indians.

## GCC offering GED classes

Belleville Area College is offering free general education (GED) classes beginning in May at the Granite City Campus, 4950 Maryville Road.

Morning classes will meet from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. from May 15 through June 9. Registration for day classes will start at 8 a.m. May 15 in the Granite City Campus cafeteria.

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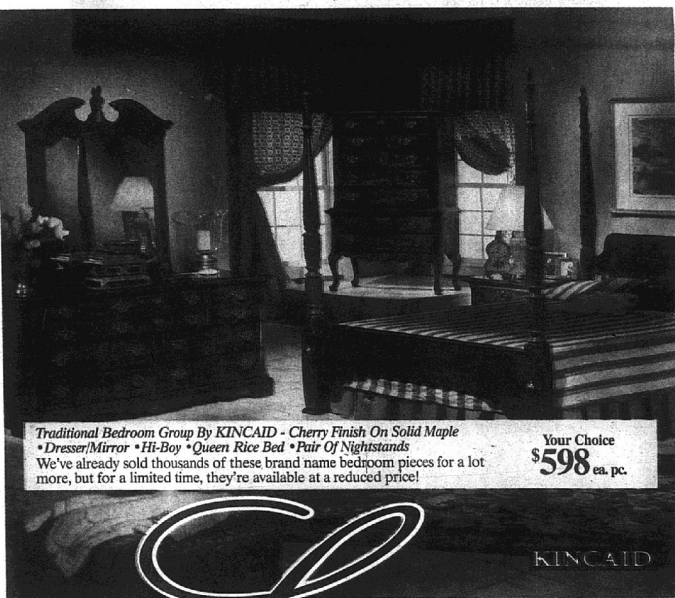
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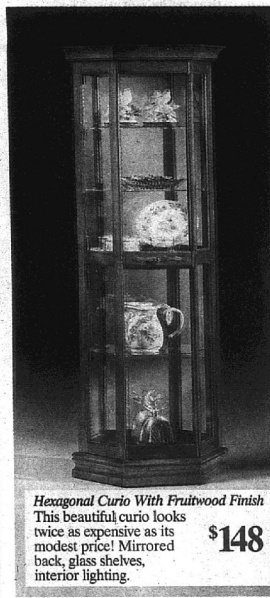
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Art Voellinger

## Mon-Clair teams involved in PSG

Mothers related to the Mon-Clair League get a break this year. The league will open its regular season May 21 with 1:30 p.m. doubleheaders — a week after the holiday recognizing the ladies.

Yet, that does not mean the M-C League will not have another busy schedule, with the 1995 slate featuring a July 22-23 appearance in the Prairie State Games — which will include men's baseball for the first time.

"WITH THE GAMES scheduled for Fairview Heights — where we held our postseason playoff finals last August — this is an ideal opportunity for us," said M-C president Mel Patton at a recent meeting of the league managers.

Waterloo and Granite City, last season's M-C divisional champions, will represent the league in the eight-team Prairie State men's playoffs, with each team guaranteed four games during the weekend.

In addition to players from their respective teams, Waterloo manager Vern Moehrs and Granite City skipper Daren DePew will be allowed to draft four additional players to complete their rosters for the Games.

"This will mean that each of our 10 teams will be represented in the Games," said Patton, who added that it was obvious pitching would be a priority due to the four games in two days.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP OF the Games will be played on Sunday, July 23, at Longacre Park in Fairview Heights, with the Belleville Area College diamond and O'Fallon Park also scheduled sites.

"I've been told that other entrants will come from Bloomington, Rockford and the Chicago area," said Patton, who credited Moehrs and BAC coach Neil Fiala for their efforts to get the M-C League involved with the Games.

"After our playoffs last year in Fairview, there were several spectators, including Mayor George Lanxon, who expressed pleasure in watching our teams compete. I know we have an excellent baseball league, and now with our appearance in the Games, maybe we can get state-wide recognition."

DESPITE THE Games commitment, the M-C will hold regular scheduled doubleheaders on July 23, with Waterloo and Granite City open that Sunday but rescheduled for Saturday, June 29 in Granite City.

The regular M-C season will open May 21 with Millstadt at Edwardsville, East Alton at Waterloo, O'Fallon at Sauget, East St. Louis at Belleville and Valmeyer at Granite City.

The annual Valmeyer tournament will be held July 1, 2 and 4, with the league all-star game set for Wednesday, July 19 at Waterloo. The second round, semifinals and finals of the postseason playoffs will be Aug. 18-20 at O'Fallon.

"That's homecoming weekend in O'Fallon, and I expect our baseball games to have high attendance," Patton said.

The playoffs are being moved to O'Fallon due to Longacre Park being used for Pan American baseball games in Fairview Heights.

(Art Voellinger is the baseball and soccer coach at O'Fallon High School. He writes a twice-weekly column for the Journal.)

## Journal Writers' Poll Girls Soccer

### Week of May 3

1. Incarnate Word (2)...20-2-1
2. Hazelwood Cent. (1)...12-1-1
3. Cor Jesu (3)...13-1-0
4. Rosary (5)...13-1-0
5. Oakville (4)...11-3-3
6. Norix Hall (6)...12-5
7. Granite City (7)...9-3-1
8. Lafayette (8)...12-1-3
9. Mehvi (9)...9-4-4
10. O'Fallon (NR)...13-2-0 (last week's ranking in parentheses)

Also receiving votes: Summit.



(Photo by T.W. MILLER)

GCHS sophomore Michelle Montgomery takes control of the ball. Granite City ended play in the St. Dominic-Howell North Shootout on Saturday with a 2-0 loss to Howell North.

## St. Dominic/Howell North Shootout

(Pool play)		Duchess 1, St. Joseph's 1 Incarnate Word 3, Granite City 0	
Bracket A		Tuesday, April 25	
St. Dominic	2-1-0 (3 pts.)	St. Dominic 3, Parkway West 0	
Hazelwood Central	1-1-1 (1)	Hazelwood Central 3, Summit 3	
Rockwood Summit	1-1-1 (1)	Notre Dame 1, Norix Hall 0	
Parkway West	1-2-0 (4)	Howell North 3, Parkway Central 0	
Bracket B		Thursday, April 27	
Howell North	3-0-0 (14)	Granite City 1, Duchess 0	
Norix Hall	1-2-0 (5)	Howell North 1, Norix Hall 0	
Notre Dame	1-1-1 (5)	Incarnate Word 4, St. Joseph's 1	
Parkway Central	0-2-1 (1)	Parkway West 3, Summit 2	
Bracket C		Saturday, April 29 (Semifinals)	
Incarnate Word	3-0-0 (12)	Howell North 3, Granite City 0	
Granite City	2-1-0 (8)	Incarnate Word 3, St. Dominic 1	
St. Joseph's	0-2-1 (1)	Finals	
Duchess	0-2-1 (1)	Incarnate Word def. Howell North (PKs)	
Scores		Monday, April 24	
Rockwood Summit 5, St. Dominic 1		Hazelwood Central 2, Parkway West 3	
Howell North 3, Notre Dame 0		Norix Hall 4, Parkway Central 0	

## Lady Knights top Lady Warriors 2-0

Howell North blanks GCHS in semis

By Steve Salem  
Staff writer

Francis Howell North came into the St. Dominic-Howell North Shootout semifinals on a roll. The Lady Knights had outscored their last six opponents 22-1, including a 7-0 advantage in their first three games of the tournament.

Despite losing its opening game to Incarnate Word, Granite City (9-3-1) made the most of its remaining two games, posting victories against St. Joseph's and Duchess to earn a berth in Saturday's semifinals.

SOMETHING HAD to give and it did as Howell North posted a 2-0 victory against Granite City. The win put Howell North into the tournament finals and sent the Lady Warriors home with a third-place finish.

Despite the cold, steady rain that fell all day, the field at Howell North was in fairly good condition. Howell North coach Dan Hogan said the field was wet, but not soggy for the first of three games Saturday.

"The field was in pretty decent shape, considering the weather and everything," Hogan said. "It makes a difference, the ball skips and you have to make your adjustments."

The teams battled through the rain

using differing styles of play. Granite City came out with a long-ball attack, which greatly contrasted Howell North's short passing, ball control offensive approach.

HOGAN SAID THE wet field adversely affected the Lady Knights' precision passing attack.

"It takes a little bit away from your passing game because the ball almost has to be right on somebody's foot, so you have to make adjustments," Hogan said.

Hogan said one of those adjustments was a change in the Lady Knights' attacking style. Howell North adopted a style that was more like Granite City. "It doesn't hurt to play a little bit of a more direct style," Hogan said. "It's not (See LADY WARRIORS, Page 4B)

### F.H. North 2, Granite City 0

GRANITE CITY (9-3-1)	0	0	0
HOWELL NORTH (17-1)	2	0	0

First Half  
FHN — Erin Walter (unassisted), 12:00  
FHN — Tracy Grose (Patti Anderson), 32:00

Goalies: Granite City (Marcie Holman), Howell North (Kathy Kuhlman)

## Incarnate outlasts Howell North on PKs

By Steve Salem  
Staff writer

Francis Howell North battled to a 1-1 overtime tie in the finals of the St. Dominic-Howell North Shootout, but Incarnate Word Academy came out on top after sudden death penalty kicks decided first place in the tournament Saturday at Howell North.

"The penalty kicks were just to see who gets the tournament title and who gets the trophies and who gets the little individual medals," Howell North coach Dan Hogan said. "This is a tie."

Tied 1-1 at the end of regulation, the teams played 20 minutes of scoreless overtime and headed into a five-player penalty kick round. Each team recorded

four goals and one miss in the first round of penalty kicks. So, tied at five goals apiece, the teams entered a sudden death round of kicks.

IWA GOALIE Beth Guccione came up with a big save on the first Howell North sudden death shot against Kelly Watson. Then, it was up to the Red Knights' Amy Timmerman to win the tournament title with her first penalty kick of the season.

"I'm left-footed and somebody yelled, 'She's left-footed.' So I took it right-footed and got it to go in the corner," Timmerman said. "I was waiting for (Howell North goalie Liz Latour) to charge and see which way she

was going and then I put it low to the corner."

Timmerman's winning shot gave Incarnate Word first place in the Shootout. The tie kept the Red Knights' 20-game unbeaten streak alive as they improved to 20-2-1.

Howell North's Tracy Grose, the tournament's Most Valuable Player, said it was unfortunate that such a close game had to be decided on one penalty shot. "That's just always a lousy way to end it, but sometimes you come out on top and sometimes you don't," Grose said.

THE LADY KNIGHTS (17-1-1), who defeated Granite City 2-0 (See INCARNATE, Page 3B)

## Hall of Fame to induct Mercer squad

The 1971-72 two-time state champion Mercer women's softball team will be honored with an induction to the Granite City Sports Hall of Fame during the Hall's ninth annual banquet May 12.

Mercer, which won two straight Illinois state titles, advanced to the national tournament in 1972 and finished 16th in the Illinois state tournament, a 53-team field in Satellite, Fla. The team won its first round game against a team from Boston but suffered elimination when it lost 2-1 to Louisville in extra innings.

"It's unusual, but we played a lot of low-scoring games," said Doug Winfield, who managed the team. "All of the girls were good players, tireless workers and had great dedication."

MERCER, MANAGED by Winfield and assistant coach Mike Poneth, went 19-7 in 1971 and 30-4 in 1972. The team included Betty Arbeiter, Audrey Lemuel, Linda Spence, Melodie Jones, Kathy Raub, Linda Gal, Gerald Pavier, George Gal, Sue Winfield, Sue Rinehart, Sue Lybarger, Karen Dochast, Judy Stepanek, Debbie Sedabres, Debbie Dumas, Barb Settle, Carol Stauning and Cookie White.

The team is one of two teams to be inducted by the Hall of Fame this year. The 1987 Granite City High School wrestling team, which placed second at the Illinois state tournament, will also be inducted. In addition, 14 individuals will be honored with inductions.

The individual inductees are Betty Arbeiter, Keith Champion, Kirk Champion, Michael Donnell, Gerald Pavier, George Gal, David Humiak, Bob Miller, Charles Mizerski, Clifford Nelson, William Rysuck, George Sebesak, Tom Yrustek and Ron Yates.

TICKETS FOR next week's awards banquet, priced at \$15 for adults and \$5 for children, can be purchased by calling 452-7122. Reservations for tables of eight may also be made.



The Mercer women's softball team, which won two straight state titles in 1971-72, is one of two teams to be inducted to the Granite City Sports Hall of Fame this year.

## Doubles teams lead way for Warriors

### GCHS tennis team places seventh in Belleville East tourney

By Rob Raphael  
Staff writer

It's too bad rain canceled all of the singles matches in the Belleville East tennis tournament Saturday. Granite City coach Allen Lobdell wanted the chance to see what other good things might have happened.

As it turned out, it was a nice little doubles tournament for the Warriors on Friday. Saturday's singles competition was washed out.

GRANITE CITY HAD one doubles team finish second, and another finished second in the consolation round.

As a team, the Warriors post-

ed nine points and finished in a three-way tie for seventh place with Belleville East and Normal. Belleville West won the tournament team title with 19 points.

The 16-team field was made up of the St. Louis area's top teams and several other squads from the Chicago area — including St. Louis University High, Naperville Central and Chicago Marist.

Granite City's No. 2 doubles team of Joe Markel and Mark Papp lifted their game to new heights by reaching the finals and placing second in the tournament.

MARKEL AND PAPP lost to Belleville West's Scott Gutter-



Mitchell

Belmer

man and Ryan Lakin in the finals by the score of 7-5, 6-3.

Meanwhile, the No. 1 team of Chris Mitchell and Joel Belmer made it to the consolation finals, where they too lost to Belleville West.

Lobdell said Mitchell and Bel-

mer are his No. 1 team mostly because they have played together for so long.

"They've been together for three years, so I'm not surprised they did so well," Lobdell said. "They played about the way I expected, which was very well."

Markel and Papp surprised Lobdell. That team has only played together since the beginning of this season.

(See WARRIORS, Page 3B)



## Sports shorts

**Park District registration**  
The Granite City Park District is now taking registration for its Juvenile boys baseball and Juvenile girls softball leagues.

The leagues will start play the first week of June. Registration will be held at the Wilson Park office. The entry fee is \$200, and the deadline for registration is May 12.

For more information, call Ray Hoffman at the Wilson Park office, 877-3059.

**Baseball players needed**  
The Granite City Chiefs men's baseball team needs players for a 27-and-over league. For more information, call Dennis Gurkin at 877-4504 before 6:30 p.m.

**Golf tourney**  
The Granite City Sports Hall of Fame will hold a golf scramble tournament May 12 at the Legacy Golf Club. The tournament will have three flights and will tee off at 7 a.m.

The \$25 entry fee provides each golfer a shot at prizes, golf balls, food and beverages. Players will pay for their own greens fees and cart rental.

Cash prizes of \$100 will be awarded to closest to the pin on holes 8 and 14.

Entry fees may be mailed to Les Thompson, 3250 Westchester, Granite City, prior to May 5. Names of the team's golfers, along with their handicaps, should be provided.

For more information, call Thompson at 876-7636.

The golf tournament is held in conjunction with the Hall of Fame's annual banquet and induction of honorees. Both indi-

vidual tickets and reservations for tables of eight may be made by calling the Schooley Law office at 462-7122. Tickets are priced at \$15 for adults and \$5 for children. Individual members of the Hall of Fame committee also have tickets available for purchase.

**Baseball tournament**  
The Alton Baseball Association will hold a Memorial Day Tournament at Gordon Moore Park in Alton from May 26-28 for teams with players ages 12 and under. All teams will play at least three games. Cost is \$100 per team.

For more information, call Don Gore at 463-3580 or Rich Woolley (259-7893).

**Mother's Day tourney**  
Teams are being sought for the SLAM (St. Louis Area Maniacs) Mother's Day ASA fast-pitch softball tournament, scheduled to be held May 12-14.

The tournament is open to 8-and-under, 10-and-under, 12-and-under, 14-and-under, and 16-and-under teams, and will be held at the South County Athletic Association Dream Fields in South St. Louis County.

For more information, call Paul at (314) 225-0484 or Rodger at (314) 391-6868.

**Youth baseball camps**  
Former St. Louis Cardinals pitcher Greg Mathews will conduct three youth baseball camps this summer: June 12-15, Ball of Fire, 10-12; June 19-22, All Stars, 13-15; and June 26-29, Eureka, All the camps will focus on all aspects of the game. Each camp runs from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Cost is \$125 per person, and that includes a

tour of Busch Stadium, T-shirt, prizes, and a meal from McDonald's each day. For more information, call (314) 552-0145.

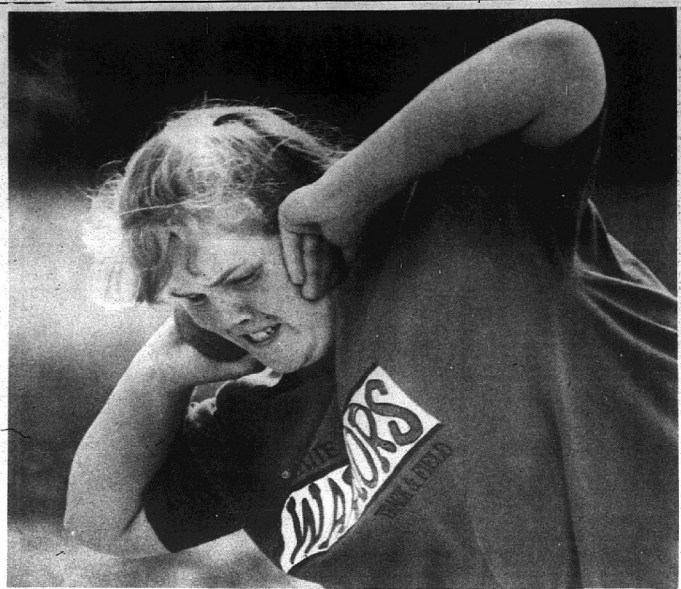
**Busch soccer camps**  
The Busch Soccer Club will conduct its 1995 summer camp series beginning June 12 at St. Louis Soccer Park. The camp directors are Denny Vaninger and David Bric. For more information, call (314) 343-8110.

**Teams, players needed**  
The St. Louis International Youth Baseball Association is seeking baseball teams — and individuals — with players born Aug. 1, 1982, or after. Teams will participate in an international tournament in Amsterdam from July 10-17 against teams from Germany, France, Belgium, Austria and the Netherlands. For more information, call Madlyn Levin at (314) 532-5515.

**SIUE cheerleading tryouts**  
Tryouts for the cheerleading squad at SIUE-Edwardsville will be held from 5-8 p.m. Friday at the Recreation Center Aerobic Room on the campus of SIUE. Eligible individuals include SIUE students and high school students who will attend SIUE during the upcoming school year. For more information, call Jamie Nagy at 692-6780.

**Baseball tourney**  
The Millstadt Blue Sox are hosting a baseball tournament June 9-11 for Juvenile I teams.

Open Phil Kamman, who owns four games. The entry fee is \$150. Players must be born on or after Aug. 1, 1980. For more information, call Paul Baillargeon at 476-1075.



Granite City's Beth Feenstra makes a shot put throw during last week's Madison County Track Meet. (Staff photo by JOHN SWISTAK JR.)

## Championship tourney to benefit GSLBA Hall of Fame

Entries close May 10 for the Greater St. Louis Match Play championship at Crestwood Bowl May 10-14.

The tournament is sponsored by the Hall of Fame Committee of the Greater St. Louis Bowling Association. The entry fee is \$155 per person for the scratch singles event, which will have an 18-game qualifier May 10-12.

The top 18 qualifiers will advance to match play on Saturday and Sunday, May 13-14, with the top five moving into the step-ladder finals about 3 p.m. on May 14.

The tournament will have a prize fund of \$8,200 based on 72 entries.

First prize is a \$2,400 value, with \$2,000 going to a 1995 ABC Masters Entry, a trophy and two tickets to the Greater St. Louis Bowling Association Hall of Fame banquet in October, 1995.

Second place is worth \$1,200. Tenth through 18th places each will receive \$150.

For reservations, contact the GSLBA at 645-8747. Tournament proceeds benefit the GSLBA Hall of Fame.

Ray Orf's Pro Shop won the Gran Prix Tour team shoot-out on April 15 at Weber's St. Charles Lanes to share the \$3,000 first prize. Rich Orf of Marlborough was the leading qualifier with a 246 average for six games.

Other team members were brother Steve Orf, Kevin Mullins of Florissant, Don Griffin of Shrewsbury, and Mike Dierkes of South County.

St. Louis has been awarded the 1996 U.S. Amateur championships, an event that will determine that year's men's and women's U.S. Amateur Champions plus the 12-member Team USA for 1997.

Tropicana Lanes will be the host center with competition scheduled for the Aug. 15-25 time frame. Specific dates will be



Howard Kead

announced later. The 1996 U.S. Amateur Championships are slated for Aug. 27-Sept. 1 at the new National Bowling Stadium in Reno, Nev. Local qualifying is currently underway and continues through May 31 with state championships slated for July 6-9 and 15-16. For more information on Team USA qualifying, call USA Bowling at (414) 423-3401. In St. Louis, contact the Greater St. Louis Bowling Association at 645-8747.

Granite Bowl in Granite City and Bowl-Ero lanes in Berkeley will officially close permanently on Saturday, May 6. Granite

Bowl has been sold to Bowling Corporation of America, which owns three other centers in the area: Bowlband in Granite City and Western Bowl and Strike 'N Lanes in St. Louis.

Dennis Ross, the owner of Granite Bowl, is having a special closing party from 7 p.m. until midnight Saturday and is looking forward to many of his bowlers and friends visiting to say farewell.

Two other centers in the area have been sold and will remain open. Phil Kamman, who owns St. Clair and Bel-Air Bowls in Belleville, has purchased Wood River Bowl.

Kammann announced that Wood River Bowl will be open for summer leagues this year, contrary to past seasons when the center shut down for the summer. He also plans major renovations for the 28-lane house.

In Troy, Mo., Gene and Mary Schaeffer bought the 24-lane

Troy Lanes on March 28 and renamed it TriCounty Lanes. Schaeffer has been involved with bowling pro shops for many years in the St. Charles area.

Greg Eagle Michelob Light and Gene-Del Printing captured the overall championships in the area's top scratch bowling leagues during the season's windup at Brunswick Lakeside Lanes on April 25.

First-half champion Grey Eagle defeated second-half winner Krey's Bud Light Barons, 27½-12½, to win the crown in the Anheuser Busch BPA Masters League, while second-half victor Gene-Del Printing trimmed first-half winner Crestwood Bowl, 27-13, to grab the honors in the St. Louis BPA Women's All-Stars.

Mike Mineman of Belleville led Grey Eagle with a 730 series, which included a first game 300. Aiding Mineman were the Orf brothers from Marlborough

(Rich with 686 and Steve with 629), Bill McNabb of Arnold with 642 and St. Charles resident Randy Lightfoot with 600.

Krey was led by its captain, Chris Taylor, who totaled 682, and Kevin Bruening with 666. Both are St. Charles residents.

Grey Eagle got the jump early with Mineman's 300 and a 229 by Rich Orf paving the way to a 1,141-990 victory. The team just about clinched it with a second-game victory of 1,093-1,062, before dropping the third game to Krey, 1,156-1,103.

Captain Tracy Goettel paced Gene-Del with a 643 series, while Cathy Pinner added 631. Angie Goettel had 623, Kerry McCormick had 620 and Robin Goodin hit 587. McCormick is from Columbia, Mo., while the other four reside in St. Charles.

Crestwood was led by a pair of Jennings residents, captain Deyera Mackey with 685 and Linda Marion with 617. Cathy Marske (See KEE, Page 4B)

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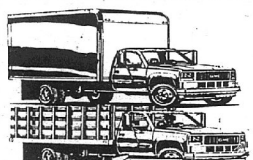
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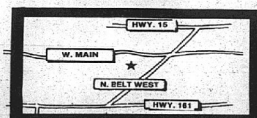
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## Births

**Ramon Briagas**  
Carlos and Jennifer Briagas of Alton have announced the birth of a son.

Ramon Valentin Briagas was born at 11:01 a.m. March 17, 1995, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center and weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces.

The mother is the former Jennifer Edwards. Maternal grandparents are Mark Edwards of Edwardsville and Paula Ortiz of Alton. Paternal grandparents are Martin Briagas and Hilda Vasquez, both of Granite City.

Ramon joins Gina, 4; Carlos Jr., 2; and Maria, 3.

### Marissa Lewis

Mike and Donna Marie Lewis of Crawfordville, Ind., formerly of Granite City, have announced the birth of their first child, a daughter.

Marissa Christine Lewis was born at 8:19 a.m. March 23, 1995,

at Jewish Hospital, St. Louis, and weighed 8 pounds, 1 ounce. She was 19 inches long.

The mother is the former Donna Marie Estabrook.

Maternal grandparents are Robert and Dianna Barthelemy of Pontoon Beach. Paternal grandparents are Al and Roberta "Bobbie" Lewis of Granite City.

Her great-grandparents are Claire Estabrook of Anchorage, Alaska, and Al and Jane Lewis of Granite City.

### Drake Wilson

Paul R. Wilson and Carrie E. Mueller-Wilson of Collinsville, formerly of Granite City, have announced the birth of their first child, a son.

Drake James Wilson was born at 8:12 p.m. April 3, 1995, at Anderson Hospital, Maryville, and weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are James and Karen Mueller of Troy. Paternal grandparents are

Ellen McMackin-Spencer of Collinsville and David M. Wilson of St. Louis.

### Kyle Bucks

Christian Bucks and Kelli Angelly-Bucks of Collinsville have announced the birth of their second child, a son.

Kyle Douglas Bucks was born at 9:15 a.m. Jan. 27, 1995, at Wood River Township Hospital, Wood River, and weighed 9 pounds, 5 ounces.

The mother is the former Kelli Angelly.

Maternal grandparents are Arthur and Sharon Angelly of Granite City. Paternal grandparents are Mickey and John Bucks of Granite City.

His great-grandparents are Lowell and Evelyn Hatfield of Granite City, Sarah Bucks of Caseyville and Hazel Angelly of Jerseyville.

Kyle joins Kassandra Cierra Bucks, 2.



**Senior prom** — On Saturday, March 18, the Granite City High School Student Council gave a "Senior Prom" for the area senior citizens. High school students and senior citizens enjoyed dancing together at the annual dance. Finger foods were served by the students to the seniors. Above, Pauline Hanson, president of the Granite City American Association of Retired Persons Chapter 1340, right, presents a \$100 check to Andrea Malone, vice president of the Granite City High School Student Council, second from right. Shown from left to right are Amanda Galbreath; Nick Navosich, president of the student council; Malone; teacher Steve Hamilton, GCHS Senior Council Club; and Hanson.

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### Course:

The 2.5 mile walk will begin at Memorial Hospital (south end) and finish at Belleville Health and Sports Center, 1001 South 74th Street. The course winds primarily through residential areas of west Belleville.

### Entry Fee:

Prior to May 6, 1995, entry fee is \$7.00 for individuals and \$22.00 for families. Late registration and walk-day registration is \$10.00 for individuals and \$25.00 for families. Walk-day registration will begin at 7:00 a.m.

### Packet Pick-Up:

Begins at 7:00 a.m. and continues until 7:45 a.m. Main lobby (north entrance) of Memorial Hospital.

### Walk Notes:

1. A t-shirt will be given to all participants.
2. Shuttle service will be provided from Belleville Health and Sports Center back to Memorial Hospital. Last shuttle run will leave from the Sports Center at 11:30 a.m.

### Open House:

An open house will be conducted at Belleville Health and Sports Center from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. A variety of demonstrations will be held including:

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## Women's Club to hold meeting

The Madison Progressive Women's Club will hold its monthly meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 9, at the Venice Senior Citizen Center, Brown and Klein streets in Venice.

The Madison Progressive Women's Club will be 75 years old on Wednesday, May 10. The club was organized on May 10, 1920.

Six members of the club attended the 78th annual session of Southern District Illinois Association of Club Women, Girls and Boys Inc. at the Holiday Inn in Mount Vernon April 21 and 22. Lucille W. Johnson, a member of the Civic Charity Club of East St. Louis, is the president of Southern District Illinois Association of Club Women, Girls and Boys Inc.

The members who attended the 78th annual session were Frankie M. Griggs, president; Emeritus: Charlyn Woods; Joyce Crawford, secretary; Betty Young; Hilda C. James; and Cynthia A. Crawford, president.

Other members of the club are Altharine G. Sands, treasurer; Eliza Ward; and Mahalia Griggs.

It was a very productive and successful meeting, according to Cynthia A. Crawford, president of the Madison Progressive

Women's Club. All reports given by the club women were informative. Her report was on legislation. She is very appreciative to Illinois Senator James P. Clayborne Jr. and Illinois U.S. Senator Carol Mosley-Braun for providing information for her report.

The southern district raised enough money from its scholarship tea to give scholarships to someone from each area of the southern district.

There were 15 clubs in attendance and the southern district meeting. The clubs are from Alton, Venice-Madison, East St. Louis, Centralia and Mount Vernon.

The national motto of the club is "Lifting as We Climb." The 1994-95 theme, which was selected by Lucille W. Johnson, is "Motivating Our Youth and Implementing All the Brilliant Ideas to Make Senior's Lives More Happy and Rewarding."

Johnson, in message to the more than 60 women in attendance, said, "In 1920, 100 years ago, Mrs. Josephine St. Pierre Ruffin sent out a call to all women of color to come to Boston to confer, and the women of color came from miles

around in answer to the call. Mrs. St. Pierre Ruffin said, 'We must dispel the myth about women of color.' We are still hearing the call 100 years later. There is still much work to be done and we can do it. It takes commitment and dedication."

The Madison Progressive Women's Club is in need of more members. They need members who are willing to work hard and dedicate themselves to the "Lifting as We Climb" theme. It's not what the organization can do for you, it's what you can do for the organization. The group wants to continue to "Lift as We Climb."

"It is my desire as president to reestablish the Girl's Club," Cynthia Crawford said. "When MPWC was first organized, it had a Girl's Club. One of our present members, Mrs. Hilda C. James, who serves as the club's courtesy chairperson, was a member of the Girl's Club."

The MPWC and guests will be attending the passion play in Eureka Springs, Ark. May 6-7.

Anyone interested in joining the club should come to the May 9 meeting or contact any club member. You must be at least 18 years old to join.

## Travelers Abroad hold dinner

Travelers Abroad held its April dinner meeting at Jerry's Cafeteria with 25 members and two guests, Dorothy Votoupal and Josephine Beatty. At the meeting, Pat Thomas became a member.

Dr. Alice Purdes, president, welcomed the group. Mary St. Cin and Votoupal won the attendance prizes for two at Jerry's Cafeteria. The president announced that Juliette Hatcher and Nora King were in the hospital. A moment of silent prayer was held for the late Marie Klein, a charter member of Travelers Abroad.

Purdes introduced Votoupal, who teaches at Marquette High School in Alton. Votoupal spoke on her experiences as a three-time visitor to Russia. In 1989, she took her first group of students to Leningrad. On her last trip, in 1993, she studied for six weeks at the Moscow University on a Fulbright-Hayes fellowship.

As a brief biography, the speaker said she grew up in a Czech-speaking household and had grandparents who spoke Italian frequently. Upon entering college, she majored in English because one "teaches life through the English language." After marrying and starting a family, she returned to college for various classes and picked up many credits in the Russian language. Eight years ago, she started teaching some Russian classes but has noted that the language has now lost most of its appeal to high school students.

During her narrated slide presentation, the speaker spoke of the beautiful, exotic scene in Moscow and Leningrad (now renamed St. Petersburg). Some of the last walls in Moscow were rebuilt in 1820 by Italian craftsmen, not Russian. Showing the tomb on Red Square, where Lenin was buried, she remarked that the familiar honor guard associated with the area was removed in October 1993. The entrance no longer exists and one may carry personal belongings into the building, rather than having to leave everything with the guards outside.

Other slides showed the Emperor Cannon and the Emperor Bell, the largest ever built in the world, and mainly by uneducated peasant labor. The cannon barrel and the cannon has never been fired. The bell was damaged by fire during its construction and an extremely large piece of it is missing. As a result, it was never rung.

Several members present had been to Moscow and Leningrad, but their trips were prior to 1989 and many of the churches the speaker toured were not open nor were restricted museums, which could not be viewed. The slides showed many beautiful icons and furnishings, which had been hidden from destruction.

In 1935, Stalin destroyed the Marian Shrine, a very small church in Red Square; he labeled it as "gone forever." Without his knowledge, an architect took exact measurements of the shrine and it was rebuilt on the same spot in 1992.

Votoupal said that many of the buildings were designed with the Eastern Byzantine influence and that a number were directly copied from those in Constantinople (now known as Istanbul). Beautiful icons were all devoted to "Holy Mother Russia."

During the reign of Ivan the Terrible, his first wife died very early. He married eight more times, although he could get dispensations from

the church only three times. He was banned from the liturgy, so he had an area built onto the edge of the church so he could look in.

In describing some of the earlier customs, Votoupal said the style of hats indicated whether or not a woman was married and that the number of children she had was indicated by stripes on top of the hat. Upon reaching a certain age, men started wearing a belt. If he did something wrong and was termed "not a man," his belt was taken away.

Slides of St. Petersburg, often called the "Venice of the North," showed the famous Hermitage Museum, a world-famous collection of beautiful objects. Several days are required to just visit the rooms quickly. Attention was called to one church that became the museum of atheism and religion; it is now the "Our Lady of Kazan" church. Beautiful, large homes along the canals running through St. Petersburg were frequently designed by Italian architects. The St. Isaac's Cathedral is an exact replica of the St. Basil's Cathedral in Moscow.

Sundays, Votoupal said, are often spent in visiting the cemeteries. She spoke of the graves of men who went to visit the grave of a poet who died 50 years ago. They planned the outing by taking four glasses and a bottle of vodka and declaimed loudly his poetry at the grave. Votoupal said that Russian poetry does not scan well into English. Another group, with flowers, drink and sandwiches, gathered around the grave of a man who spoke for the "common man."

The churches and museums are not fighting over the objects contained in the museums that were stolen from churches many years ago; the churches want their property returned.

During the siege of Leningrad, it is reported that almost 500,000 people were buried in a common grave. Almost one-third of the population was killed. Flowers are scattered at the monuments of the World War II veterans.

The speaker reminded anyone going to St. Petersburg or Moscow to be sure to go to the circus. It is different from the American idea of the circus; there are no wild animal acts. It generally is in a small building. The seats are near the action and it is performed several times each week of the year.

Nowadays, all types of crafts are available for sale — small icons, decorated wooden boxes, jewelry of all types and nested dolls as both men and women. The speaker exhibited a large shawl made of very fine wool from a goat. These shawls, if authentic, can be drawn through a regular wedding ring. The type of atmosphere in which the goats are raised affects the type of wool they grow. The wool type will change if the goats are transferred to a different climate.

Additional members present were Frieda Burgdorf, Lillian Delps, Larry Reinhart, Betty Townsend, Nina Dittman, Betty Duff, Barbara Williams, Isabella Southwick, Clara Skinner, Georgina Engelke, Marieann and Gordon Hankla, James Hayes, Joe and Gen Hill, Ann Pieper, Rose Schmidt, Marlene Shuman, Sherry Cox, Ann Hordsky, Marge O'Neill and Dorothy Hoedebeck. Southwick will speak on Italy at the May 22 meeting. Visitors are welcome to attend.



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## Horoscope

**Wednesday, May 3**  
Venus trines Jupiter, and generosity runs higher than usual. Enjoy the friendly atmosphere in which daily things take place under the Gemini moon. Traffic is smooth, even when it's flowing slowly, and tempers are generally even. Be on time for all appointments — or you'll risk missing out on important breaks. It's a very comfortable day to make new friends and contacts.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)**  
Lots of love is part of the fun — you are darn near irresistible, so don't get into trouble with your impulsive, romantic ways! Enjoy the advantage of having charm in business dealings.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)**  
Strike a balance in matters of the heart — someone from the past may have returned to real life or your dreams. Your energy returns when you're left alone to do it your way in your own time.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 21)**  
Use those contacts from the past — they can help you get what you need in career matters. You may be bringing

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**CANCER (June 22-July 22)**  
Without much effort, you can find the information needed to complete stalled projects. Independent thinking and action are favored in financial matters — decide for yourself!

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)**  
Strong ideas and a sense of daring mark your moves today. Confirm all hunches before proceeding, but don't be afraid to think big and even be a little ahead of your time! You're ready to set trends.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (May 3)**  
Support from traditional sources helps you with new starts in June. Don't let go of solid assets in July, but do explore new paths and exciting possibilities. In September, you get a green light on major creative, self-employment or love developments — strengthen your skills. Enjoy the benefits of bonuses, partnerships and profit at the end of '95.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)**  
Enjoy the benefits of family influence or advantages, and don't feel guilty, even if they lend you money, because you do plenty for them. Decisions are easier today — make a few.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)**  
Let the past be cleared away as you clean up and complete routine duties today. Make room for ideas that are dawning in your fertile imagination — someone special believes in your potential.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21)**  
Delightful possibilities surround you, and you're more discerning of which ones will pan out than some of your less-observant associates. Be

the voice of wisdom in the thick of action.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)**  
All the important events seem to happen near you which is just as you feel it should be! Give love a chance — give time and a close ear to the needs of youth. And try your luck, too.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)**  
Extend parental guidance to those less experienced in the workplace. Basic issues dominate. Important moments transpire between you and the boss or established groups, such as banks.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)**  
Lots of action, invitations, calls and errands are ahead, so get moving. You're in demand, so be ready to alter the agenda in favor of immediate opportunities that present themselves.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)**  
Impress your family with your eye for a bargain. Your former head-in-the-clouds air is now replaced with a practical intuition that takes you where the deals are — smart you!

## Movie schedules

Film timetable for Wednesday, May 3. For times on other days or to confirm these times, check local theaters.

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Friday (R) 10:00, 1:15, 5:15, 7:15, 9:30

Man Of The House (PG) 10:10, 1:55, 5:35  
Don Juan DeMarco (PG-13) 7:35, 9:50  
Jefferson In Paris (PG-13) 10:20, 1:30, 5:00, 8:00  
Fievel And The Penguin (G) 10:30, 1:45, 3:30, 5:45  
Muriel's Wedding (R) 8:15  
A Circle Of Friends (PG-13) 10:00, 1:10, 5:50, 8:10  
Major Payne (PG-13) 10:10, 1:05, 3:00, 5:30, 7:30, 9:55  
Top Dog (PG-13) 10:15, 1:25, 3:25, 5:40, 7:45, 9:45  
Dolores Claiborne (R) 10:25, 1:50, 5:25, 8:05  
Outbreak (R) 10:15, 2:00, 5:40, 8:10

**CREVE COEUR CINE**  
1870 Old Olive Street Road, 822-4900  
Rob Roy (R) 4:15, 7:00, 9:45  
Circle Of Friends (PG-13) 4:40, 7:20  
The Cure (PG-13) 9:35  
The Madness Of King George (NR) 6:50, 7:10, 9:20

**CROSS KEYS CINEMA**  
110 Cross Keys Shopping Center  
Lindbergh & New Halls Ferry, 821-8998  
Forrest Gump (PG-13) 8:30  
Billy Madison (PG-13) 8:15  
Heavyweights (PG) 7:00  
Legends Of The Fall (R) 9:00

**EASTGATE CINE**  
Eastgate Plaza, E. Alton, 254-8289  
A Goofy Movie (G) 4:45, 8:45  
While You Were Sleeping (PG) 4:30, 7:00  
Village Of The Damned (R) 5:00, 7:30  
Rob Roy (R) 4:15, 7:15  
Kiss Of Death (R) 5:30, 7:45  
Bad Boys (R) 5:15, 7:45

**COTTONWOOD EDWARDSVILLE CINEMA**  
Edwardsville, Ill.  
Outbreak (R) 4:15, 7:15, 10:00  
Major Payne (PG-13) 4:30, 6:45, 9:30  
Man Of The House (PG) 4:45, 7:00, 9:15

**LINCOLN THEATER**  
103 E. Main Street, 233-0123  
Legends Of The Fall (R) 7:00, 9:35  
Forrest Gump (PG-13) 7:00

Dumb And Dumber (PG-13) 9:40  
Heavyweights (PG) 7:15  
Just Cause (R) 8:15  
**NAMEOKI CINEMA**  
30 Nameoki Village, 877-8830  
Man Of The House (PG) 7:15  
Outbreak (R) 7:00

**QUAD CINEMA**  
Belleville, Ill.  
While You Were Sleeping (PG) 4:45, 7:20, 9:15  
Village Of The Damned (R) 5:00, 7:15, 9:30  
Bad Boys (R) 5:00, 7:30, 10:00  
Top Dog (PG-13) 4:15, 6:45, 9:00  
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**RITZ 3 THEATER**  
403 E. Main St., Belleville, 233-3536  
Heavyweights (PG) 8:45, 9:50  
Legends Of The Fall (R) 7:00, 10:00  
Just Cause (R) 7:15, 9:30  
**ROXANA CINE THEATER**  
Roxana, Ill., 254-6746  
Man Of The House (PG) 7:00

**ST. CLAIR 10**  
50 Ludwig Drive, 398-8383  
Kiss Of Death (R) 12:00, 2:10, 5:00, 7:45, 10:10  
Jury Duty (PG-13) 12:45, 3:05, 5:30, 7:55, 10:05  
Tommy Boy (PG-13) 12:30, 2:45, 7:35, 9:50  
Outbreak (R) 4:50, 8:45  
Bad Boys (R) 1:55, 4:30, 7:00, 9:15  
A Goofy Movie (G) 1:10, 3:00, 5:10, 7:00  
The Cure (PG-13) 9:30  
Rob Roy (R) 1:00, 4:05, 7:10, 9:50  
Top Dog (PG-13) 12:00, 2:00, 5:00, 7:15, 9:30  
Friday (R) 12:15, 2:15, 4:15, 7:00, 9:00  
Village Of The Damned (R) 12:15, 2:30, 4:40, 7:30, 10:00  
Destiny Turns On The Radio (R) 12:30, 2:35, 5:05, 7:25, 9:40

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# Community calendar

Our event calendar also includes entries for community groups and their normal meeting days. Such groups meet on the first Monday of the month, the first Tuesday of the month, etc. Readers are encouraged to call these groups if holidays or other days pose uncertainty. Corrections, additions and deletions of information are encouraged, and new entries may be added at anytime by calling the newsroom at 876-2000. This calendar runs in every Wednesday's Journal.

## Wednesday, May 3

Colonial Care Center will host senior bingo from 2 to 4 p.m. Refreshments, attendance prizes and cash payouts will be offered. For more information, call 931-3900.

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 33 will offer a service officer from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Tri-City Veterans Home, located at 1417 19th St., in Granite City. Call 876-7816 for more information.

Granite City Chess Club meets from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Granite City Public Library. For more information, call 876-2228.

Mount Zion Baptist Church, 2827 Mockingbird Lane, in Granite City, will offer clothing available to those in need from 10 a.m. to noon.

Pulmonary Support Group, for persons with diagnosed lung condition, 11 a.m. to noon in 4 Doctors Solarium, St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Singles Connection, Dinner at 6 p.m. at Fat Archie's, Nameoki Road and East 23rd Street in Granite City. Call Carl at 452-1762 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth School's Noah's Ark Day Care, Pontoon Road, Granite City. The meetings are closed except for the last Wednesday of the month.

Collinsville Area Recreation District in conjunction with the Boots and Slippers Square Dance Club will sponsor square dance lessons from 7 to 9 p.m. at Lanham, 2200 Vandalia St., Collinsville. The cost is \$2.50 per person. Per session. For information, call 344-4636 or 344-4183, or contact CARD at 346-7529.

Divorced and Separated Group Ministry, 7:30 p.m., Eden United Church of Christ, 903 Second Street, Edwardsville, 656-9268.

Al-Anon, 7 a.m. to 9 a.m., Gateway Foundation, 600 Lincoln, Caseyville, 463-2429.

Parents Anonymous Group, meets 6 to 8 p.m. For information on where meeting will be held, call Elaine Landolt, 462-2714.

Stress Management Class, 7 to 8 p.m. at Mental Health Services, 30 Northgate Industrial Drive, Granite City. For people

who want to know what causes stress, how it affects their lives, and what they can do about it. For more information call 877-4420. Fees are based on a sliding income scale.

Madison Community Action Group, meets at 7 p.m. For more information call Dan at 452-2336 or Diane at 876-1350.

## Thursday, May 4

Chouteau Township Senior Citizens, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Social Center, 906 Thorngate Drive, Mitchell.

Granite City High School Art Department will hold its annual art show from 7 to 9 p.m. in conjunction with the band concert.

National Day of Prayer, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Granite City City Hall steps.

Singles Connection, Dinner at 6:30 p.m. at Old Peking Restaurant, 604 W. Main St. in Collinsville. Call Bev at 344-4691 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly Chapter 236, 6:45 p.m. at Anchorage Recreation Center, 2909 Edwards St. For information, 787-6351 or 877-2784.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Wellness Center, 2103 Iowa, 463-2429.

Narcotics Anonymous, Seeking recovery, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9409.

Overeaters Anonymous, 7:30 p.m. at First Christian Church, 2415 N. 89th St., Caseyville. For information, call 1 (314) 638-7821.

Granite City Community Band rehearsals, 7:30 to 9 p.m., St. John United Church of Christ, 2901 Nameoki Road, Granite City, 931-0443.

## Friday, May 5

Greater Beneficial Union of Pittsburgh, District 491, Granite City Council, meets at 8 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 4225 Old Alton Road, Granite City. James P. Reagan, president, can be reached at 288-7396; and Mary Solomon, secretary, can be reached at 451-9291.

Singles Connection, join the group for the Cinco de Mayo celebration. Carpool at 6:30 p.m. from Omni Bank in Pontoon Beach. Call Carl at 452-1762 for more information.

The Southwestern Illinois Homecare Society will hold its regular meeting at 7 p.m. in the Senior Citizen Center, located at the intersection of Central and North Prairie streets in Bethalto. There will be a companion plant sale for members.

Tri-Township Public Library will hold a book sale from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the library, 209 S. Main St. in Troy. Use small side door for entrance.

Al-Anon meets at 8 p.m. in the Milinski Room in the basement at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Call 463-2429 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Friday Afternoon Pinochle Club for seniors 55 and over meets at 12:30 p.m. at the Harbison-Brown Building, Franklin Avenue and Pontoon Road. Call 877-0350 for more information.

STEMSS (Support Together for Emotional and Mental Serenity and Sobriety), A support group for people with a mental illness and an alcohol or substance abuse problem, meets from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. at Pascal Hall, St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Call 788-3604 for more information.

## Saturday, May 6

The Madison County Humane Society will hold an adopt-a-pet day from noon to 4 p.m. at PetsMart in O'Fallon.

Polish Pierogi Sale, Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, 930 Reynolds, Madison, 9 a.m. to noon. Seven varieties: cabbage, cheese, kraut, potato, sausage and taco. Carry-overs only. \$6 per dozen. Cooked and ready to heat and eat. Also available are churros and rosettes for \$3 per plate. Order ahead by calling 876-5861.

Rabies vaccination clinic will be held from 1 to 3:30 p.m. at the Granite City Dog Pound, 3000 Missouri Ave. in Granite City, across from Capri Sun.

Singles Connection will attend the Collinsville Horseshoe Festival in Woodland Park Meet at North Junior High School at 1 p.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Al-Anon Adult Children, 10 a.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 463-2429.

Narcotics Anonymous, Acceptance, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 463-2429.

Rescue Mission, 1536 Fourth St., Madison, food pantry is open from 9 a.m. to noon. Samuel Turner is the chairman, Valonda Turner is the secretary and Alfred Turner is the pastor.

## Sunday, May 7

Eagles Auxiliary 1126 will host the District 7 meeting at 2 p.m. at the Eagles home, 2558 Madison Ave. A social hour and dinner will follow.

Midwestern United States Imperial Dance Club (MUSIC) will hold its regular meeting at 6 p.m. at the American Legion Hall in Collinsville. The public is invited for dance lessons and open dancing at a cost of \$4 for nonmember and \$2 for members. For more information, call 463-2405.

The Piasa-Gateway A.B.A.T.E. will hold a state freedom rally. Call 259-0120 or 526-4903 for more information.

The Pontoon Beach Jaycees regular meeting is held at 7:30 p.m. at Ralph and Charlie's Steak House. The meetings are open and the public is invited.

Scout Senior Club, meets at the Township Hall, doors open at 12:30 p.m., bingo and games start at 2 p.m. Call 877-1215 for more details.

Singles Connection will have a softball game at 1 p.m. at Woodland Park in Collinsville. Call Sandy at 344-1393 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 1:30 p.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Narcotics Anonymous, Live the Steps, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9409.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Pascal Hall, main floor, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Eagles Auxiliary 1126 Bingo, 1 p.m. at the Nameoki Bingo Center. Also included will be a color

raffle and a 50/50 drawing. Overeaters Anonymous, meets at 2 p.m. in the Wiesman Room, first floor, St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City.

## Monday, May 8

Granite City Lions meet at 7 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Granite City in either the auxiliary room or the Pinta room. Any man or woman 18 or older interested in Lionism is welcome to attend. Anyone interested may call Lion President Marlene Cook at 876-2515 or Lion Treasurer Ken Turcott at 877-6776.

Madison/St. Clair C.H.A.D.D. (attention deficit) Parent Support Group. For more information, call Jim and Kathy Little at 345-0933, Lucille Caban at 876-7028 or Sheila Hornsey at 462-4015.

National Association of Retired Federal Employees (NARFE) Chapter 1067 meets at 11:30 a.m. at Charlie's Restaurant in Granite City. For more information call 931-2118 or 876-8450.

Singles Connection will meet for dinner at 6:30 p.m. at Patera's in Edwardsville. Call Margot at 288-0656 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Al-Anon, 9:30 a.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Neglected Victims of Child Sexual Abuse, a support group for nonoffending parents of victims, meets from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville's Rape and Sexual Abuse Care Center. Call 692-2197 for details.

TOPS 2948 (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 6 p.m., Melvin Price Support Center in Granite City, 876-2124.

## Tuesday, May 9

Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Granite City Lodge 1063, Maryville Road, Granite City, 931-3557, 8 p.m.

Eagles Auxiliary 1126 will hold its first meeting of May following the Mother's Day dinner at 6 p.m. at the Eagles Home, 2558 Madison Ave. An election of officers will be held from 5 to 7:30 p.m.

Job's Daughters Bethel #4 meets at 7 p.m. at the Masonic Temple, 20th Street and Cleveland Boulevard.

Knights of Columbus, 3rd Degree, 4225 Old Alton Road, 7:30 p.m., 877-4250.

Madison Progressive Women's Club will meet at 7 p.m. at the Venice Senior Citizens Hall, Brown and Klein streets in Venice.

Singles Connection will meet for walleye bait at 6:30 p.m. at the YMCA, Esic Drive in Edwardsville. There is a \$3 fee for three hours of play. Call Frank at 876-4315 for more information.

Better Breathers, support group of those with chronic lung condition, 1 p.m., Pascal Hall, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 788-3510.

Mastectomy Support Group, 7 to 9 p.m., Pascal Hall, main floor, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 788-3510.

Mitchell Fire Protection District 2 monthly meeting, 7 p.m., Maryville and Old Alton roads.

Depressive Manic Depressive Association of Madison County will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. James E. Lewis and Karl A. Strassman, co-leaders of the DMDA, will conduct the meetings. For more information, call 877-7517 or (314) 776-4925.

TOPS 1699, (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) will meet at 6:45 p.m.

at the Anchorage Recreation Center, 2902 Edwards St.; call 787-2724 for more information. Men and women are welcome to attend.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8:30 a.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous (women only), 8 p.m., Presbyterian Church, Mitchell, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., St. John United Church, 2901 Nameoki Road, Granite City, 692-8076.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., St. John United Church, 2901 Nameoki Road, Granite City, 463-2429.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Niedringhaus United Methodist Church cafeteria, 20th and Delmar, Granite City (babysitter available), 463-2429.

Alateen and PreAlateen Program for 12 to 17 age group, and prealateen for six to 11 year age group, meets at 8 p.m. at Niedringhaus United Methodist Church, 20th and Delmar. For more information call 463-2429.

The Blood of the Lamb prayer and bible study. The public is invited to come for praise and worship, teaching from the Word and prayer for your needs from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Full Gospel Fellowship Hall, 2201 Orville, Granite City. A nursery will be provided. If a ride is needed, call 451-4020 or 1 (314) 888-1865.

The Circle of Hope, a 12-step healing program for anyone whose life is affected by HIV infection meets at 7 p.m. at the King's House on North 66th Street in Belleville. For more information, call 224-0291.

Granite City Kiwanis meet at Shoney's at 7:30 a.m.

Narcotics Anonymous, Path to Recovery, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hotline 398-9409.

School of Metaphysics, 7:30 to 10:30 p.m., 949 Roslan Place, St. John, Mo. 63114. Classes in applied metaphysics. Call Melanie McManus at 429-0076.



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Third grade:  
Andrew Baker, Eric Baker, Kelly Barton, Delancy Brown, Jaimee Chance, James Grain, Sean Grey, Michael Gruenzfelder, Natouja Hickman, Bryan Huffstutler, Ashley Marby, Ashley McGarity, Jeffrey Nash, Richard Price, Shannon Smith, Vonetta Sykes and Jeffrey Warner.

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## Military

**Thomas Lewis**  
Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class  
Thomas A. Lewis, a graduate of Granite City High School, recently received a letter of commendation.  
Lewis was cited for superior performance of duty while assigned aboard the submarine USS Jacksonville, home ported in Norfolk, Va. He consistently performed his demanding duties in an exemplary and highly professional manner.

Lewis joined the Navy in May 1984.

**Timothy Connell**  
Army Staff Sergeant Timothy

P. Connell is the newly appointed Army recruiter for the U.S. Army Recruiting Station, located at 3675 Namecki Road in Granite City, and is the Army recruiter responsible for Granite City High School.

Originally from Alton, Connell is a 1986 graduate of Alton High School and has been in the Army since December 1985.

Connell took basic and advanced individual training at Fort Leonardwood, Mo. His other military schools include the Primary Leadership Development Course and the Army Recruiting School.

Connell's awards and decorations include two Army commendation medals; six Army achievement medals; the Good Conduct medal; the National Defense Service ribbon; the Overseas Service ribbon and the Army Service ribbon.

He and his wife, Pamela, reside in Alton.

**Robert Gaddy**

Army Spec. Robert A. Gaddy has been decorated with the Army Achievement Medal, which is awarded to soldiers for meritorious service, acts of courage or other outstanding accomplishments at Fort Wainwright, Fairbanks, Alaska.

Gaddy, a personnel information systems management specialist, is the son of William D. and Felicia Gaddy of Granite City.

He is a 1992 graduate of Granite City High School.

**Edmund Butler**

Army Private Edmund O. Butler has completed basic training at Fort Sill, Lawton, Okla.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid and Army history and traditions.

Butler is the son of Iris E. Butler of Venice and Edmund L. Rivers of Chicago.

He is a 1994 graduate of Madison High School.

## Seniors group holds meeting

Seniors Unlimited of Niedringhaus United Methodist Church met in Wesley Hall for their April general meeting. The Rev. Bruce Rushing offered prayer before a lunch of hot dogs, snacks and soda.

Del Groothuis read a meditation called "Faith." He also conducted the business meeting. Various day trips were discussed for the group. On May 2, the group planned a visit to Kimmiswick, Mo., followed by lunch and a trip to Mastodon Park.

After the business meeting, the group enjoyed an "Old Timey" social with popcorn and soda. Warren Collins showed a Laurel and Hardy movie to the group.

## Rachel Circle holds meeting

The Rachel Circle of Niedringhaus United Methodist Church met in the home of Phyllis Bills recently. The circle leader, Shirley Lane, opened the meeting with prayer. The Least Coin devotion, "God's Spirit Emboldens Us to Action," was given by Kay Greene.

Lane read from the prayer calendar and recognized the missionaries who had birthdays during the month.

The ladies were reminded of the Church Women United's May fellowship salad luncheon to be held May 5 at Hope Lutheran Church. Tickets are \$2 per person.

The devotions for the evening were given by Greene and entitled "A Day for God to Laugh," which was taken from the book *Sparkling Devotions for Women*, and "God Loves My Kitchen Best."

Attending were Joan Mucho, Dolores Vogeler, Kay Greene, Alice Hunsinger, Mable Gertsch, Wanda Groothuis, Dorothy Davis, Shirley Lane and a guest, Edna Stutch.



**Heather Hays**  
Crowned beauty queen

## Competes in pageant

Heather Elaine Hays, 5, of Granite City, recently competed in USA's Little Miss Illinois Preliminary Pageant on March 26 at the Gateway Convention Center in Collinsville.

Hays was crowned beauty queen in her age division of four to five years. She also won overall photogenic in which she received a crown, trophy and banner. She received trophies for first alternate in talent and first alternate in photogenic. Hays will now compete for Little Miss Illinois at the state level in August.

Hays attends kindergarten classes at Holy Family School and is a member of the Glitter Girls Modeling, taught by Rhonda Vest-Nolan.

She is the daughter of Chris and Krisandra Hays of Granite City and the sister of Ryan Hays of Granite City. Her grandparents are Fay and Hamilton of Granite City, David and Cherrie Hays of Madison and the late Charles Hamilton.

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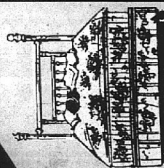
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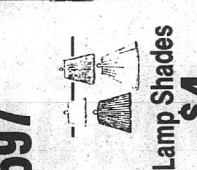
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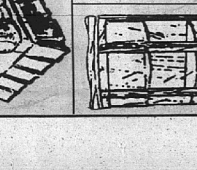
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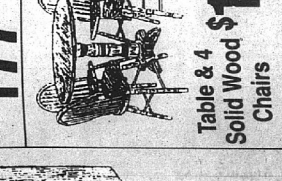
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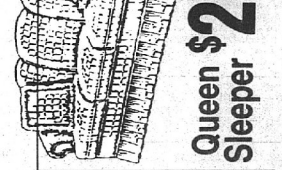
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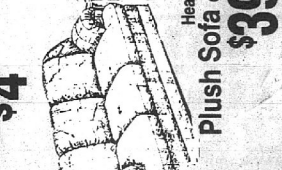
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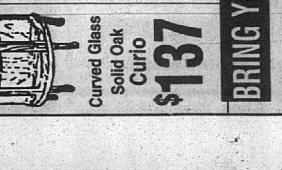
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**Peter Cottontail's helpers** — Mary Jane Davis' kindergarten class at Prather School were ready for Easter in their bunny masks and tails, which were made by Debbie McElroy, head room mother.

## Eagles meet

The Eagles Post 1126 Auxiliary held its first meeting of April with Ann Pates, president, presiding. The Pledge of Allegiance was given by all 24 members in attendance.

The roll of officers was taken. Vincine Zerlan, secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved. Two applications for membership were read and the membership chairperson reported that the group was to hold an initiatory ceremony at the next meeting.

A report was given on the recent road block for charities by Joanna Spencer in the absence of Shirley Prater. Proceeds of \$930.25 will be divided and sent to the following charities: Alzheimer's, disaster, kidney, diabetes, heart, Jimmy Durante crippled children, child abuse, Eagle education and Golden Eagle education.

Correspondence from the Granite City Fire Department was read. Florence "Fuzz" Hagauer, chairperson of the Eagles Jimmy Durante Fund, will donate \$100 to the fire department to further the education of children in the "safety education program."

The visiting committee reported that Connie Kipp and Mary Brominski had been sent cards for their recent hospital stays. A moment of silent prayer was given for the family of Geraldine Reeder, who recently lost her husband. A donation will be made to the heart fund in his name.

The Alzheimer's committee held a dessert sale on April 14 at the Aerle fish fry.

Millie Weatherford announced that her daughter, Kelly Reed, had given birth to a son, Cory William, and that her son had recently gotten married. Dorothy Landfried is the great-grandmother of Cory and Ellen Wallace is the aunt.

A silent prayer was offered for Dianna Garrison, state auxiliary president, whose daughter has been diagnosed as having incurable leukemia, and Kathy Dullea of Shiloh 545, state auxiliary mother, who was scheduled to have another surgery April 25.

Spencer, Zerlan, Pates and Hagauer recently attended the

Southern Zone Conference at Benton and each gave a report. Hostesses for the evening were Joanna Spencer and Ann Pates. Prizes were won by Evalene Ederie and Sue Allen.

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Eagles Auxiliary 1126 initiated two members at its April 25 meeting. President Ann Pates opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance given by all 29 members in attendance.

The gavel was turned over to the ritual team: Vera Johnson, president; Kathleen Benda, vice president; Joanna Spencer, junior past president; Millie Weatherford, Shiloh 545; and Angie Buehler, conductor, who performed the initiation ceremony for Becky Worley and Margaret Cockrell.

Vincine Zerlan, secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved. Katie Kostoff read the treasurer's report.

Alzheimer's chairpersons Vera Johnson and Weatherford donated the bake sale money toward the charities that have not made their 100-percent goal this year.

The Pana, Ill., auxiliary invited members to attend its 10th anniversary luau weekend, May 5, 6 and 7. The auxiliary will hold a meeting at 1 p.m. A dance and entertainment will begin at 7:30 p.m. with games throughout the day on Saturday. A "No-Goose Eggs" sticker was received from the Grand Aerle for March.

David Cooper, Aerle president, and his committee will cook and serve the auxiliary members a Mother's Day dinner at 7 p.m. May 9, followed by a regular meeting at 7:30 p.m.

A nomination of officers and delegates was held. An election of officers will be from 5 to 7:30 p.m. May 9 at the Eagles Home for 1995-96.

The District 7 meeting will be held in Granite City May 7. The meeting will begin at 2 p.m. and will be followed by a social hour and dinner. The matchbook cover fund-raiser will be held during the day. Anyone wishing to donate items should contact Vera Johnson. Those interested in helping with the meal and hall

should contact Del Deloney.

Evalene Ederie, bingo chairperson, gave her report for the period of April 16 to 23. The report was approved by all. Volunteers to work in May should contact Ederie at 452-9710.

Helen Mueller, audit chairperson, read her report for the period of March 28 to April 25, which was approved by all.

A donation to the fire department was made for \$100 to help with the children's program to help prevent fires.

A moment of silent prayer was held for Bonnie Jacobs' husband, "Cowboy," who is in the hospital; Kathy Dullea of Shiloh 545; state mother Rita Cuoco, whose mother-in-law is in critical condition in a nursing home; and Joanna Spencer, in her loss of her nephew.

The secretary read convention information regarding the banquet, prayer breakfast and membership breakfast reservations. The convention will be held June 20 to 25 in Moline.

Prizes were won by Ederie and Kathleen Benda. Hostesses for the evening were Angie Buehler, Hilda Melton and Flo Stokes.

The next meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. May 9 at the Eagles home, 2558 Madison Ave. in Granite City.

## GCHS plans annual art show

The Granite City High School Art Department will have its annual art show in conjunction with the high school band concert from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday, May 4. The art work will be displayed in the halls and the art rooms at the high school. Admission is free for the art show.

Eight senior art majors will have their own individual displays.

The main hall of the school. All undergraduate work chosen to be displayed will be in the art room. This year, students have worked with a large variety of medias, including pencil, conte, water colors, oils, tempera, colored pencil and terra cotta ceramic figures and vessels.

Graduating seniors having their own shows are Sonny Bar-

on, Katie Gibbs, Emily Zarate, Dana Anderson, Amy Boring, Maegen Rozycki, Michelle Ryterski and Michael Ryterski.

The art faculty will be present to answer any questions the public might have. Ann Rich, Phyllis Weiss and Tony Betancourt, faculty members, are looking forward to showing the students' accomplishments.



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# Today's Food

Wednesday, May 3, 1995

## Food & Nutrition

### Wise Ways

No matter what the lunch crowd is willing to trade, don't give away that homemade brown-bag sandwich that is light on salt and fat.  
**INSIDE**

### Heart-y Bites

Warm weather requires plans for picnics and precautions for currying its foods.  
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### Blue Ribbon Cook

Garlic is the bonus in this week's winning mostaccioli recipe.  
**INSIDE**

### Private Label Test Run

Starting the day with tomato juice or ending with a glass of it seasoned is a requirement for some people. Tomato juice in both of Price Chopper's private labels — Always Save and Best Choice — are priced under \$1. See what *Journal* tasters think of them.  
**INSIDE**

### Micro Raves

Casseroles are quick to make or reheat in a microwave oven.  
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### Lively Taste

For creamy Mexicali bean or mixed vegetable salad, combine 1/2 cup picante sauce, 1 cup mayonnaise of choice and 1/2 teaspoon cumin or chili powder. The mixture also is delicious in potato salad, pasta salad, coleslaw or with mixed greens.

## Health & Fitness

### Medicine Chest

Relief takes precedence in treating non-contagious canker sores, as well as virus-induced cold sores and fever blisters.  
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### Fresh Picks

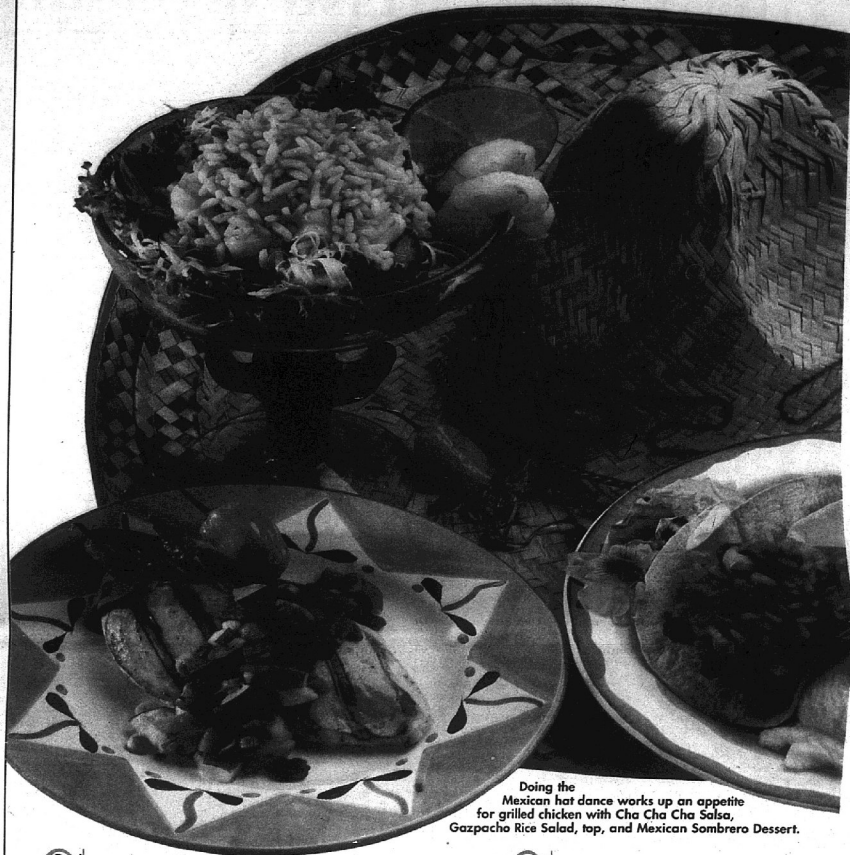
Rhubarb is more than meets the pie. Eat only the stalks; its flowers and roots are toxic. Store-bought rhubarb is usually juicier and softer than homegrown. For a simple sauce, finely dice stalks stripped of tough peel or strings. Combine 1 to 2 cups honey or sugar with every 4 cups rhubarb, depending on sweetness desired. Let stand, stirring occasionally, several hours or overnight. To cook, add a few tablespoons fruit juice or water, bring to boil, then remove pan from heat and cover, letting it stand a few minutes. If rhubarb is not soft — it should not be mushy — bring to simmer, turn off heat and let stand again.

### Big Fat Tip

When reading nutrition labels for cookies, consider the serving size. It is based on the weight of cookies usually eaten at one time, so packages that contain large or heavy cookies list fewer cookies per serving than those containing small or light cookies.

### Future Shop

According to top food professionals in a survey for the National Pork Producers Council, couscous — pellet-shaped pasta, a favorite from Morocco — is a grain expected to zoom in popularity. Indications are that grains, such as lentils and beans, are getting more attention than ever before in soups and salads, as well as a base for main dishes with a sauce.



Doing the Mexican hat dance works up an appetite for grilled chicken with Cha Cha Cha Salsa, Gazpacho Rice Salad, top, and Mexican Sombrero Dessert.

## SOMBRERO SUPPER

By Janice Denham  
Staff writer

There is no stomping out Mexican history, just as in 1862 there was no stopping a band of local residents who stood their ground against part of the French army and helped inspire the national fight for independence.

The date was the Fifth of May, or Cinco de Mayo, a good reason for Mexicans and other Americans to celebrate with a fiesta.

Forget time-consuming, fat-full frying Friday and eat a delicious meal that energizes everyone to dance 'til dawn to mariachi music.

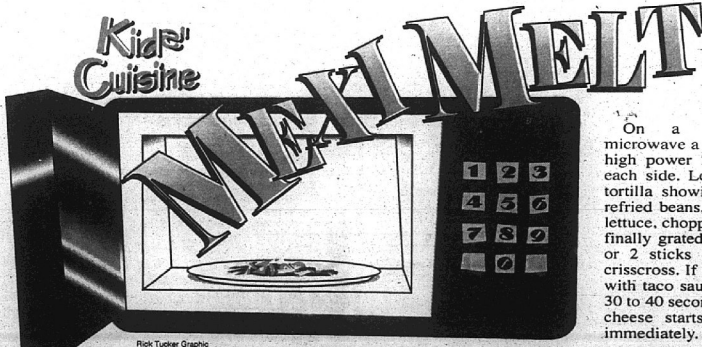
Warm colors and flavors brim over at a fiesta. Red, green and white are the accent.

Rice is a staple of Mexican meals that appeals to residents north of the Rio Grande, too. Steam or cook it in low-fat chicken broth, so tomato, green and red bell pepper, green onion and other additions can be added at the end of or after cooking to hold their intensity.

It can be served hot, but also makes a hearty base for cold salad, such as this one with cucumber that borrows the flavors of gazpacho.

It even makes a sweet dessert with apples and raisins. A tortilla becomes the sopaipilla-like sombrero, while frozen yogurt contrasts its creamy cool-

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On a paper plate, microwave a corn tortilla on high power 20 seconds on each side. Leaving edge of tortilla showing, layer with refried beans, then shredded lettuce, chopped tomato, and finally grated yellow cheese or 2 sticks of cheese laid crisscross. If desired, drizzle with taco sauce. Microwave 30 to 40 seconds longer until cheese starts to melt. Eat immediately.

Rick Tucker Graphic

# Today's Food

## Private Label Test Run

*Best Choice*



Best Choice tomato juice, as well as the Always Save brand, from Price Chopper were compared with varying results on this week's test run.

## Tomato juice duo nets spicy comments

There were two 45-ounce cans of tomato juice to try: Best Choice and Always Save from Price Chopper. Comments fell in two broad ranges, but there was no one without a definite opinion.

Many of them considered themselves tomato juice drinkers, although some chose vegetable juice, a combination of tomato with other vegetables with spices, rather than tomato juice straight.

That was the stem for divergent comments.

A tomato juice lover said, "I preferred the Best Choice juice — more flavor, better consistency. I thought it stacked up with the name brands."

One liked it well enough to serve to guests.

Another with a taste for the single juice preferred

the Always Save brand, which cost 79 cents, over the Best Choice brand for 91 cents for a 46-ounce can. At Price Chopper name brands are priced at \$1.07 and higher. At another supermarket, name brand prices begin at \$1.19 while its private label brand costs 99 cents.

She called the Always Save flavor "a bit more mellow." Others thought it had a thinner taste, but one liked that because the Best Choice brand was thicker than she preferred.

One suggested it could be appreciated as a flavoring in foods, like stew, where a less prominent tomato flavor can be used. They added the Best Choice brand tasted more like tomatoes.

group of tasters who all wanted it spicier.

## Heart-y Bites

## Safe food handling gives taste of fun-filled picnic

By DEBRA DRURY

Warm weather and picnics are seasonal partners, but mishandled food can ruin the fun. It can happen any time, but risks increase this time of year because as the outdoor temperature increases, so does bacterial growth.

A temperature of 40° to 140° is where bacteria likes to grow. Keep perishable foods hot or cold enough to avoid this danger zone.

Many people do not connect upset-stomach symptoms to food-borne illness caused by poor food handling. Symptoms usually appear within 4 to 48 hours.

Start by washing hands before working with any food. If a picnic site does not have water, use disposable wet wipes to clean up. Wash hands before and after preparing raw meat and poultry and do not re-use utensils, plates or bowls in contact with raw products.

Here are more tips to keep a picnic or any warm-weather activity safe:

- Thaw meat and poultry in the refrigerator or cold water or in a microwave. Thawing it for hours at room temperature lets bacteria multiply in outer areas before the inner area is thawed.

- Hamburger patties, pork chops and ribs should be cooked until all the pink is gone. Poultry should show no red in the joints. Fresh fish should flake with a fork when done. Beware of rare or even

medium-rare steak, because some food poisoning bacteria can survive a short cooking time.

- Shop for perishable picnic products last. Bag them together or with cold items and get them right home into the refrigerator or, when en route to a picnic, directly into a portable ice chest. Never leave perishables in a hot car while running other errands.

- At a picnic keep perishables like ham, lean luncheon meat, cooked beef or chicken, potato or macaroni salad — in a cooler. A well-insulated cooler should be packed with ice. Prechilled drinks help keep other food cold, too. Place the cooler in the shade with its lid tightly closed. On hot days, give the cooler a spot in the passenger area of the car to and from the picnic.

- Fruit is a healthful snack or dessert that adds a touch of sweetness to a picnic. Wash with tap water to remove surface pesticide residues and other impurities, such as soil. Thick-skinned produce can be scrubbed with a brush or peeled.

Let this fruit cooler cool before packing in a cooler for a picnic.

*Registered dietician Debra Drury is a member of the nutrition committee of the American Heart Association, St. Louis Chapter.*

*ing" cooking class will feature John Bogacki of the St. Louis Chefs de Cuisine, who will show how to grill food at 2 p.m. Sunday, May 7, at the Sons of Rest Gazebo in Tower Grove Park, 4255 Arsenal St. For information or a reservation for the free class, call 45-HEART.*

## SPICED FRUIT COBBLER

4 cups sliced unpeeled apple and/or pear  
 1 1/2 cups flour  
 1/2 cup firmly packed light brown sugar  
 1 1/2 tsp. baking powder  
 1 tsp. cinnamon  
 3/4 cup skim milk  
 1/4 cup light molasses  
 1/4 cup yolk-free egg product  
 2 tbsp. margarine, melted  
 Nonfat vanilla yogurt, if desired

Preheat oven to 375°.  
 In 8-inch square baking dish, arrange fruit.

In medium bowl, combine flour, sugar, baking powder and cinnamon. Stir in milk, molasses, egg product and margarine until just blended. Batter will be lumpy.

Four batter evenly over fruit. Bake in preheated oven 30 to 35 minutes until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.

## Recipe

### CHEESEY TURKEY JOES

8 oz. thinly sliced turkey breast

1 cup barbecue sauce  
 1/2 cup (2 oz.) shredded cheddar cheese  
 4 whole wheat buns, sliced, heated  
 1 cup shredded lettuce  
 In medium skillet, combine

turkey with barbecue sauce. Heat until warm. Stir in shredded cheese.

Divide mixture between 4 buns. Top with shredded lettuce. Makes 4 servings.

## Blue Ribbon Cook

## Garlic, tangy tomato help excite flavor of mostaccioli

Lori Ann Glen, Overland, is winner of this week's recipe contest for Garlicky-Good Mostaccioli. For it she wins a prize of dinner certificates at the Pasta House Co.

Recipes in the Green Salad Recipe Contest will be accepted through May 31 for consideration as winner each

of the four weeks in June. Send one recipe per household to: Green Salad Recipe Contest, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.

Type or print the recipe legibly on one side of the paper. Include name, address and telephone number on the entry.

### GARLICKY-GOOD MOSTACCIOLI

2 tbsp. olive oil  
 1 lb. lean ground beef  
 3/4 cup chopped green bell

pepper  
 1/4 cup chopped celery  
 1/4 cup chopped onion  
 4 or more cloves garlic, minced  
 8 oz. mushrooms, sliced  
 1 can (about 13 oz.) Italian plum tomatoes  
 1 can (6 oz.) tomato paste

1/2 cup dry red wine  
 1 tsp. oregano  
 1 lb. uncooked mostaccioli  
 Grated parmesan cheese

In large skillet, heat oil. Cook beef, pepper, celery, onion and garlic until beef is browned. Add mushrooms. Cook until wilted. Add toma-

toes, tomato paste, wine, basil and oregano. Stir while crushing tomatoes with back of wooden spoon.

Simmer over low heat 30 minutes, stirring occasionally.

Cook mostaccioli according to package directions.

## Sombrero

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ness on top.

Salsa provides a spicy array of fruits and vegetables. For this fiesta it contrasts with the smoky flavor of chicken breast, which takes minutes to cook on a grill when it is skinned and boneless. Extra chicken and salsa can be mixed to tango together the next day.

Select fresh cilantro for its distinct flavor and aroma. To keep the parsley look-alike green and lush, stand stems like flowers in a glass of water. Because of its flavor intensity, add it right before serving. Extra can be chopped and sprinkled on top of reduced-fat sour cream or mayonnaise, then folded in just before serving on seafood.

1/2 cup raisins  
 1/2 cup thinly sliced green onion  
 1/2 cup cider vinegar  
 3 tbsp. brown sugar  
 1/4 tsp. cumin, if desired

In medium bowl, combine apple, chiles, raisins, onion, vinegar, sugar and cumin. Chill, covered, at least 1 hour. Serve with grilled chicken or pork.

Makes about 2 cups; 88 calories, 1 g protein, no fat or cholesterol, 23 g carbohydrate, 6 mg sodium and 3 g dietary fiber each.

### GAZPACHO RICE SALAD

1 1/2 lb. medium shrimp or 1 lb. skinned chicken, grilled or sautéed  
 1 jar (8 oz.) garden-style or chunky salsa  
 3 cups cooked rice (cooked in chicken broth)  
 2 medium cucumbers, seeded, finely chopped  
 1 medium green bell

pepper, finely chopped  
 1 cup thinly sliced green onion  
 2 tsp. lime juice  
 2 cloves garlic, minced  
 Bibb or leaf lettuce

Reserving 12 shrimp for garnish, coarsely chop remaining shrimp in large bowl, combine chopped shrimp, salsa, rice, cucumber, pepper, onion, lime juice and garlic. Chill 1 to 2 hours.

Line one-fourth of stemmed serving glass with lettuce. Place 1 1/2 cups salad in each glass. Garnish each serving with 2 whole shrimp.

Makes 6 servings; 242 calories, 22 g protein, 3 g fat (11 percent calories from fat), 32 g carbohydrate, 130 mg cholesterol, 620 mg sodium and 3 g dietary fiber each.

### MEXICAN SOMBRERO DESSERT

8 (6 to 7 inch) flour tortillas  
 1 tbsp. oil

3 tbsp. sugar  
 2 1/2 tsp. cinnamon  
 1/4 cup (1/2 stick) butter or margarine  
 1 cup firmly packed brown sugar  
 1/2 cup coffee liqueur, such as Kahlua  
 1 medium golden delicious apple, cored, chopped  
 1 medium red delicious apple, cored, chopped  
 3/4 cup raisins  
 3 cups cooked rice  
 3 cups chopped walnuts  
 2 cups vanilla nonfat frozen yogurt  
 Cinnamon or nutmeg for garnish

Preheat oven to 425°. Spray bottom of muffin tins with nonstick cooking spray.

Combine sugar and 1 teaspoon cinnamon in small bowl. Sprinkle generously over each tortilla. Press each tortilla firmly in bottom of prepared muffin tin. Press out edge to form sombrero shape. If desired, warm tortilla in microwave 15 seconds for easier shaping.

Bake in preheated oven 7 to 10 minutes until brown and crisp. Remove from oven.

Cool.  
 Melt butter in large skillet over medium heat. Add brown sugar and liqueur. Stir until sugar is dissolved. Stir in apple and raisins. Cook, stirring, 2 to 3 minutes until apple is slightly tender. Stir in rice, walnuts and remaining 1 1/2 teaspoons cinnamon.

To serve, place 3/4 cup rice mixture in each tortilla. Top with 1/4 cup scoop frozen yogurt. Garnish yogurt and rim of plate with cinnamon and nutmeg.

Makes 8 servings; 520 calories, 9 g protein, 16 g fat (28 percent calories from fat), 88 g carbohydrate, 16 mg cholesterol, 279 mg sodium and 7 g dietary fiber each.

### VEGETABLE SKILLET OLE

1 tbsp. oil  
 1 medium onion, finely chopped  
 2 large carrots, finely chopped

1 clove garlic, minced  
 1 jalapeno pepper, seeded, minced  
 1 tsp. chili powder  
 1 tsp. cumin  
 1/2 tsp. salt  
 1 lb. zucchini squash (about 3 medium), chopped  
 3 cups cooked rice  
 1 can (14 1/2 oz.) diced tomatoes  
 1 can (16 oz.) black beans, drained, rinsed  
 1/4 cup chopped fresh cilantro

In large skillet over medium-high heat, heat oil until hot. Add onion, carrot, garlic, jalapeno, chili powder, cumin and salt. Cook, stirring, 2 to 3 minutes until onion begins to brown and carrot is slightly tender.

Add zucchini, rice, tomatoes with juice and beans. Simmer 5 to 7 minutes until zucchini is tender.

Remove from heat. Stir in cilantro. Serve immediately.

Makes 6 servings; 238 calories, 8 g protein, 3 g fat (11 percent calories from fat), 100 g carbohydrate, no cholesterol, 642 mg sodium.

### CHA-CHA-CHA SALSA

3 medium red delicious apples, cored, chopped  
 2 cans (4 oz. each) diced green chiles



# Today's Food

## Wise Ways

### Lunch box sandwiches take healthy plunge

By CAROL SCHLITT

Whether the reason is to use leftovers, save money or satisfy a picky eater, more people are packing a lunch to take to work or school. According to the Ziploc bag people, about 34 million people each day pack one.

And what is the No. 1 food item packed for lunch? Sandwiches. In fact, if all the sandwiches in those 34 million lunches were stacked on top of each other, the sandwich stack would be 11,500 times as tall as the Sears Tower.

Unfortunately, most typical sandwich offerings are a minefield of fat and salt. For example, a tuna salad sandwich made with mayonnaise, pickle relish and chopped hard-cooked egg, considered by most to be a "healthier" filler, has more than 700 calories, two-thirds of a day's fat and one-half day's worth of sodium. To give this sandwich a fat-lift, use low-fat or nonfat salad dressing and use only 1 hard-cooked egg yolk for every 4 eggs used. This cuts both calories and fat in half.

Sandwiches are an excel-

lent way to include several food groups from the Food Guide Pyramid. For starters, build a sandwich with interesting breads, such as multi-grain, potato or onion. Two slices supply 2 servings from the bread group on the base of the pyramid.

Top the bread with 3 ounces lean meat — like turkey, low-fat ham or lean beef. Three ounces meat provides 1 serving from the meat and protein group. Then pile on the veggies, like sprouts, cucumbers, green peppers, onion, tomato and lettuce, including all these vegetables can provide 1 to 1½ servings from the vegetable and fruit group.

Sometimes condiments, like mayonnaise, add unnecessary fat to a sandwich. Instead, opt for ketchup, mustard, fat-free cream cheese or chutney which are lower in both fat and calories. Even a little coleslaw can act as the "glue" on top of bread to hold a sandwich creation together.

Since most sandwich fillings are perishable, keep them in the refrigerator until just before packing. If possible, pack in an insulated container and plan to use

within 4 hours.

Here is a tasty twist on a typical ham sandwich. A hint of ginger and orange complement the ham and fat-free cream cheese filling.

*Certified home economist Carol Schlitt is nutrition and wellness educator with University of Illinois at the Edwardsville center.*

#### LUNCH BOX HAM SPECIAL

2 slices whole wheat bread  
½ tsp. margarine  
2 tsp. nonfat cream cheese  
1 tsp. frozen orange juice concentrate  
1/8 tsp. ginger  
3 oz. fully-cooked lean ham  
Lettuce leaf

Spread margarine on 1 slice bread to keep bread moist and prevent filling from soaking through.

Combine cheese, juice and ginger. Spread on remaining bread slice. Top with ham and lettuce.  
Makes 1 sandwich; 285 calories, 7 g fat.

## Micro Raves

By SANDRA HOUNSOM

### Handy casseroles arrive over convenient 'waves'

Casseroles, meals that feature fresh and redesigned — read that, leftover — foods, are especially effortless in a microwave.

If the first cooking is a specialty in a conventional oven, double the recipe and freeze one batch for future use. Combining ingredients and "waving," instead of baking, brings dinner to the table quickly and efficiently, too.

Here are tips for successfully cooking casseroles in a microwave:

• Casseroles heat more evenly if covered and prepared in a round container.

• Cheese topping should be added toward the end of cooking time, after stirring and rotating midway through cooking. Cheese used as a topping at the beginning of cooking time becomes tough and rubbery. It can be mixed in with other ingredients at the beginning of some casseroles.

• Treat a crumb or crunchy topping the same way as cheese. If added too soon, it becomes soggy.

• Stir a deep casserole (2½- to 3-quart) during cooking to distribute the heat and ensure even cooking. A layered casserole, such as lasagna, cannot be stirred, but

small pieces of foil on corners of the pan shields them from overcooking.

• When freezing a casserole, place cheese or crumb topping in a separate container or bag with the casserole so nothing is missing when it is time to cook.

Leftovers are easy to turn into a casserole for future use. If this casserole will be served within a day or two of assembling, the process is basically reheating.

Most casseroles reheat best at medium-high (70 percent) power. A layered casserole which cannot be stirred should be reheated at medium (50 percent) power.

This recipe, which uses leftover ham from the refrigerator or freezer, makes about 4 servings. It is a longstanding favorite from Better Homes and Gardens' "One-Dish Microwave Meals" (Meredith Corp., 1985).

*Home economist Sandra Hounsom specializes in microwave cooking.*

#### HAM AND POTATO CASSEROLE

1 pkg. (12 oz.) frozen shredded hash brown potatoes, thawed, well drained

5 tbsp. butter or margarine  
Pinch pepper  
1 cup milk  
1½ tsp. minced dried onion  
½ tsp. flour  
1 tsp. chicken bouillon granules  
½ tsp. Worcestershire sauce  
½ cup (2 oz.) shredded American cheese  
1 pkg. (10 oz.) frozen peas  
½ lb. diced ham (1½ cups)  
½ can (3 oz. size) french-fried onions

In medium bowl, cook 3 tablespoons butter on high power 40 to 50 seconds until melted. Stir in potatoes and pepper. Press into bottom of 9-inch pie plate. Cook on high power 10 minutes, rotating dish once.

Combine milk and onion. In 4-cup measure or bowl, cook remaining 2 tablespoons butter on high power 40 to 50 seconds until melted. Stir in flour, bouillon granules and Worcestershire sauce. Stir in milk mixture. Cook on high power 2 to 3 minutes until bubbly, stirring every minute.

Stir in cheese. Cook on high power 30 seconds until melted. Stir in peas. Layer ham on top of potato mixture. Pour pea mixture over ham. Cook on high power 10 to 12 minutes.

## Sun belt tomatoes bring Mexican color to table

Tomatoes from the May market don't taste like the ones from the back yard in August. But then, a pineapple doesn't taste the same as it would from a patio in Honolulu either.

In truth, "winter" tomatoes have improved dramatically over hard green-pink ones that sat indifferently in supermarket bins. It does not hurt to put some of these redder, better-tasting ones to use. After all, they have traveled at least a thousand miles to be guests on North American tables.

One spring source of vine-ripe tomatoes is the sunny

Mexican state of Sinaloa. Perched along the Pacific coast just south of Mazatlan, the thin strip of land parallels Baja Mexico. Eighty percent of Mexican produce imported into the U.S. comes from this region.

For best flavor, store tomatoes unrefrigerated. If they begin to get too soft, eat them quickly or make them into sauce.

It is easy to include variations on the tomato theme. A round one is fun to slice for a sandwich. Fleshy roma tomatoes were designed originally for canning, so they hold up well when grilled and stay

firmer in sauces and soups. Tomato Salsa barely heats the tomato until it is charred — not soft — on all sides. This encourages the tomato flavor to blend its intensity with other salsa ingredients. Cilantro can be blended before chilling or just before serving.

#### ROASTED TOMATO SALSA

4 to 6 tomatoes (about 2 lb.)

2 cloves garlic, crushed  
2 tsp. chili powder  
1 tsp. oregano  
½ tsp. salt  
Pinch cayenne pepper  
1 tsp. olive oil  
1 can (16 oz.) corn, drained  
½ red onion, thinly sliced  
¼ cup chopped fresh cilantro

1 jalapeno pepper, finely diced  
1 tsp. red wine vinegar

Roast tomatoes on barbecue grill or under broiler, turning often, until slightly charred on all sides. Let cool. Peel and chop. Mash together garlic, chili

powder, oregano, salt and cayenne. Stir in oil to make paste.

In large bowl, mix tomatoes and spice mixture. Stir in corn, onion, cilantro, jalapeno and vinegar. Refrigerate, covered, 2 to 4 hours before serving.  
Makes 5 cups.

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## Recipe

### CHICKEN SATAY WITH PEANUT SAUCE

- 1/4 cup plus 1 tsp. soy sauce  
2 tsp. lemon juice or rice vinegar  
1 tsp. honey  
1 tsp. ground coriander  
3/8 tsp. black pepper  
1/4 tsp. red pepper flakes  
2 cloves garlic, minced  
1 lb. boned, skinned chicken breast, cut in 1-inch strips  
3/4 cup chicken broth  
1/2 cup peanut butter  
1 tsp. sesame oil  
1 tsp. lemon juice  
1/8 tsp. ginger  
1 green onion, finely chopped

In small bowl or sealable plastic bag, mix together 1/4 cup soy sauce, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, honey, coriander, 1/4 teaspoon black pepper, red pepper and half the garlic. Add chicken. Marinate, refrigerated, several hours or overnight.

Combine chicken broth and peanut butter in small bowl. Whisk to blend. Stir in oil, 1 teaspoon lemon juice, ginger, 1/4 teaspoon black pepper and onion. Mix well. Let stand, covered, at least 1 hour for flavors to blend.

Store, covered, in refrigerator up to 2 days.

To prepare chicken, weave marinated chicken onto skewers. Cook over hot coals or in broiler 3 to 5 minutes per side until cooked through, basting frequently with marinade.

## Recipe

### CONVECTION CHEDDAR RICE CASSEROLE

- 1 cup uncooked rice  
1/4 cup (1/2 stick) butter or margarine  
2 tsp. chopped onion  
pkgt. (10 oz.) frozen chopped spinach, thawed, well drained  
1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce  
1/2 tsp. marjoram  
1/2 tsp. leaf thyme  
4 eggs, lightly beaten  
1 cup milk  
2 1/2 cups (10 oz.) shredded sharp cheddar cheese

Salt and pepper

Cook rice according to package directions.

In small frying pan over medium heat, melt butter. Cook onion until soft.

In large bowl, combine rice, onion, spinach, Worcestershire, marjoram, thyme, eggs, milk and 2 cups cheese. Season to taste with salt and pepper.

Preheat convection oven to 300°. Grease shallow 2-quart baking pan.

Spread rice mixture in prepared pan. Sprinkle with remaining 1/2 cup cheese.

Bake, uncovered, in preheated oven 35 to 45 minutes until center is set. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

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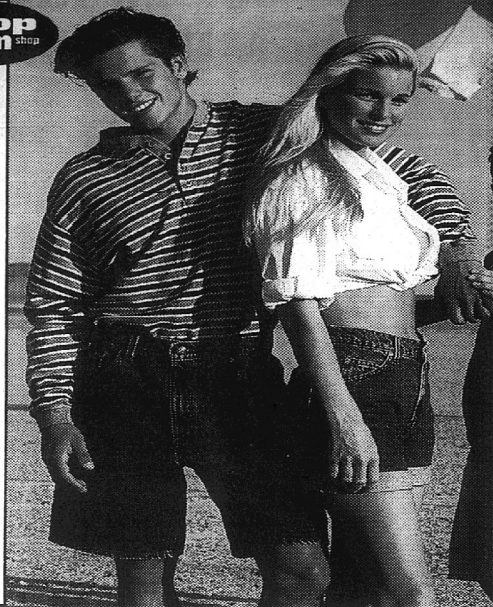
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## Good Health

By MELANIE POLK

## Strawberry lovers field best pick of the patch

As with many fruits, strawberries are at their best when just picked. Handling, transportation, storage and display can take a toll on both flavor and nutrition. Strawberries do not ripen after they are picked, so white shoulders or tips do not turn red. Spotty, soft or dull berries should be passed by; since a single bad berry quickly spoils the whole batch from the field or the supermarket.

An uncommonly good source of vitamin C, a cup of strawberries provides as much as a medium orange. With only about 60 calories per cup, they also are good sources of iron and potassium. Removing a strawberry's cap greatly speeds the loss of vitamins and minerals, so wash and stem them just before using. Store strawberries in a single layer in a cool place.

A natural complement to strawberries is the creamy taste and texture of low-fat yogurt. Strawberries also make tasty mates with other spring or summer fruits in salads or desserts. One pleasing combination common to spring is strawberries with rhubarb. Red

stalks of this low-calorie, fiber-rich food — actually a vegetable used like a fruit — are used in sauces, tarts, pies and crisps.

Strawberry Rhubarb Cobbler is a good example of how to cut down the sugar in pies, cobbles and other desserts. Add a delicious lemon yogurt sauce and high-fat toppings like ice cream and whipped cream can be left behind.

For a free brochure with more delicious fruit recipes, send a self-addressed envelope stamped with 55 cents postage to: American Institute for Cancer Research, Department AP, Washington, D.C. 20009.

Registered dietitian Melanie Polk is director of nutrition education for the American Institute for Cancer Research in Washington.

### STRAWBERRY RHUBARB COBBLER

1 cup sugar  
2 tsp. plus 1 cup flour  
1 tsp. cinnamon  
1 tsp. finely grated orange

4 cups coarsely chopped rhubarb (¾ inch pieces)  
2 cups sliced strawberries  
1 tsp. baking powder  
¼ tsp. baking soda  
¼ tsp. salt  
2 tsp. margarine or butter, cut in pats  
¾ cup low-fat buttermilk  
¾ cup low-fat yogurt  
Grated rind of 1 lemon

Preheat oven to 400°. In bowl, combine ¾ cup sugar, 2 tablespoons flour, cinnamon and orange rind. Add rhubarb and strawberries. Toss to mix.

Spread in 8-cup shallow glass baking dish. Bake in preheated oven 10 minutes.

In large bowl, mix 1 cup flour, 2 tablespoons sugar, baking powder, baking soda and salt. Using fingers, mix in butter until mixture is size of small peas. With fork, stir in buttermilk until mixture is moistened and soft dough forms.

Drop by spoonful in evenly-spaced mounds on hot fruit. Bake in preheated oven 25 minutes or until top is golden.

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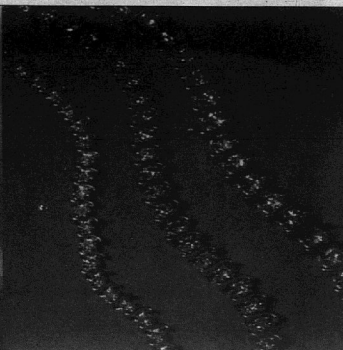




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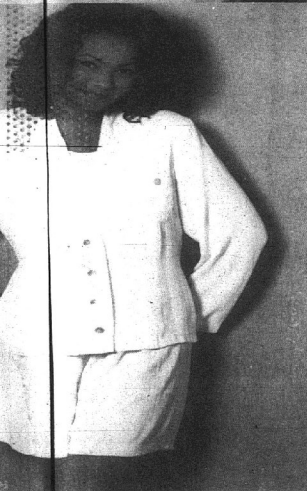
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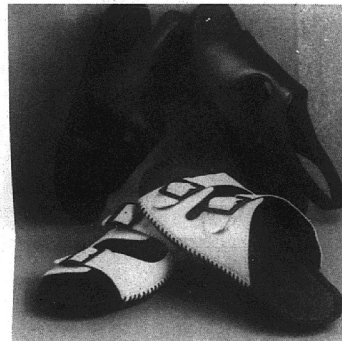
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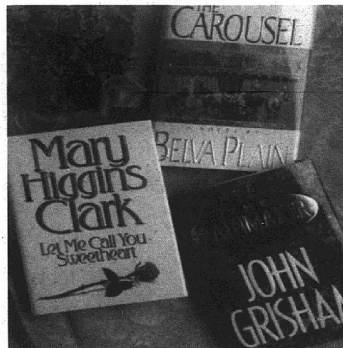
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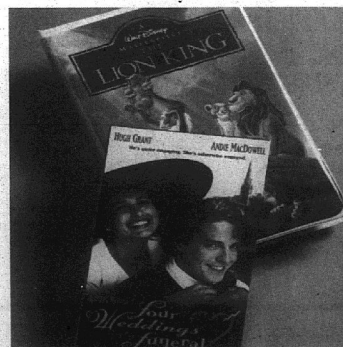


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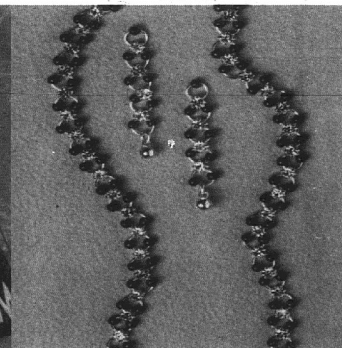
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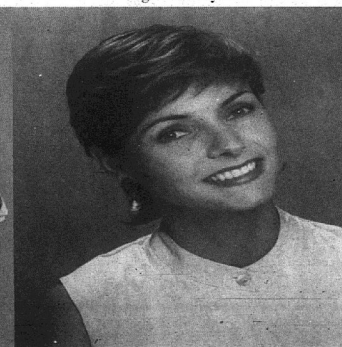
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## Recipes

### ASPARAGUS N HAM BAKED POTATOES

**Creamy Mustard Sauce**  
4 (8 to 10 oz. each) baking potatoes, baked  
8 oz. julienne-cut ham or Canadian bacon  
2 cups hot cooked asparagus, sliced in 1 inch pieces  
2 hard-cooked eggs, sliced  
Toasted sliced almonds, if desired

Slit hot potatoes lengthwise. Open by gently squeezing from bottom.

Top hot potatoes with ham, asparagus and egg. Spoon warm Creamy Mustard Sauce over toppings. Garnish with almonds.

**Creamy Mustard Sauce:** In saucepan, melt 2 tablespoons butter or margarine. Stir in 3 tablespoons flour, 1 teaspoon dry mustard, 1/2 to 3/4 teaspoon salt and 1/4 teaspoon white pepper. Mix thoroughly. Gradually stir in 2 cups milk. Cook and stir until thickened and bubbly. Makes 2 cups.

**Note:** Sliced green beans can be substituted for asparagus.

**Makes 4 servings;** 446 calories, 27 g protein, 16 g fat, 52 g carbohydrate, 193 mg cholesterol, 1,142 mg sodium and 5.6 g fiber each.

### PINEAPPLE PUFF PANCAKE

1 cup diced fresh pineapple  
1 tbsp. rum extract  
1/4 cup (1/2 stick) unsalted butter  
1/2 cup milk  
1/2 cup flour  
1/4 cup granulated sugar  
2 eggs  
1/8 tsp. nutmeg  
2 tbsp. confectioner's sugar  
Marinate pineapple and rum extract 30 minutes. Drain.  
Preheat oven to 425°.

In 10-inch ovenproof skillet, melt butter over medium heat, tilting pan to coat sides. Add pineapple.

Whisk together milk, flour, sugar, eggs and nutmeg until well blended. Pour into skillet. Cook 1 minute.

Place in preheated oven. Bake 12 to 15 minutes until puffed and golden.

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## THE LIGHT TOUCH

By Mark Lymberopoulos

The big shot thought he knew all the answers-until some troublemaker came along and asked the wrong questions. Heard about the papa robin who flew back to the nest and proudly announced that he'd made a deposit on a new Cadillac?

The sages tell us there are three ages when men misbehave: young, middle and old.

Bill: "How's your insomnia?" Will: "Worse than ever. I can't even sleep when it's time to get up!"

The most successful executive in the company is the one who knows how to delegate responsibility, shift the blame and take all the credit.

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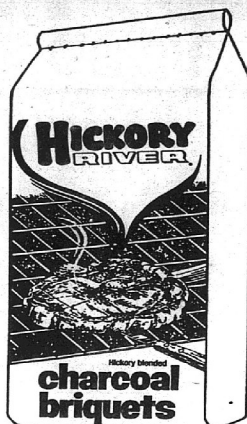
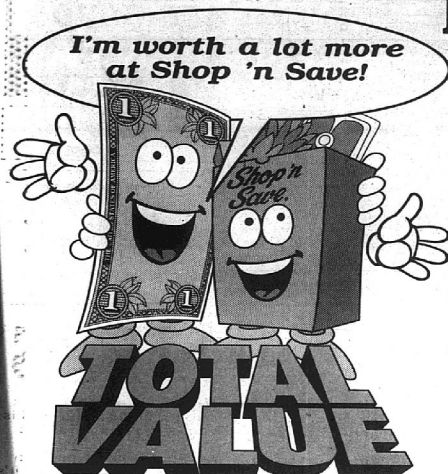
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**3/\$5**  
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• Bonus Red Tag Value •

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LIMIT 2 WHILE SUPPLIES LAST

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Kraft  
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**3/199**  
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KELLOGG'S COMPLETE BRAN FLAKES OR  
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**169**  
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ASSORTED VARIETIES  
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**599**  
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\$2.00 MAIL-IN REBATE  
AVAILABLE IN-STORE

KELLOGG'S  
Frosted  
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EVERYDAY VALUE  
Heinz 57  
Sauce.....

**299**  
10-OUNCE BOTTLE

HEINZ  
Worcestershire  
Sauce.....

**99¢**  
10-OZ. BTL.

SUNSHINE  
Hydrox or Vienna  
Fingers Cookies..

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16-OZ. PKG.

SUNSHINE  
Krispy  
Crackers.....

**99¢**  
15 TO 16-OZ.

24-CAN CUBE  
Pepsi, Diet Pepsi  
or Mountain Dew

**477**  
LIMIT 3 COMBINED ON ALL  
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ADDITIONAL PURCHASE  
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2-LITER BOTTLE  
Pepsi, Diet Pepsi  
or Mountain Dew..

**88¢**  
EACH  
LIMIT 6 PEPSI OVER LIMIT 99¢



REGULAR OR REFILL  
ULTRA DOWNY  
Fabric  
Softener.....

**2/\$7**  
40-OZ.

LIMIT 3-ROLLS  
Bi•Rite  
Paper Towels.....

**3/\$1**

SHOP 'N SAVE WHEAT  
Sandwich  
Bread.....

**79¢**  
24 OZ.

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
Kraft  
Mayonnaise.....

**149**  
32-OZ. JAR  
LIMIT 1

ASSORTED FLAVORS  
Hi-C  
Drinks.....

**2/\$3**  
64-OZ.

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## Liquor Department Red Tag Values

LIQUOR PRICES GOOD AT ILLINOIS STORES ONLY

REGULAR OR LIGHT  
Busch  
Beer..... **567**  
12-PACK  
12-OZ. CANS

REG., LIGHT OR DRY  
Michelob  
Beer..... **969**  
18-PACK  
12-OZ. CANS

Miller High  
Life Beer..... **899**  
24-PACK  
CUBE

LITE, GEN. DRAFT GEN.  
DRAFT LITE OR LITE ICE  
Miller  
Beer..... **649**  
12-PACK  
12-OZ. CANS

REG., LIGHT OR ICE  
Milwaukee's Best  
Beer..... **729**  
24-PACK  
12-OZ. CANS

REGULAR, DARK OR AMSTEL  
Heineken  
Beer..... **499**  
6-PACK  
N/R-BTL.

FROM PLANK ROAD  
BREWERY  
Red Dog  
Beer..... **589**  
12-PACK  
12-OZ. CANS

OUR EVERYDAY LOW PRICE 2/\$5  
ASSORTED VARIETIES  
Bartles & Jaymes  
Wine Coolers..... **2/\$4**  
4-PACK  
AFTER TWO 50¢ INSTANT COUPONS

ASSORTED  
Paul Masson  
Wine..... **2/\$5**  
33.8-  
ML

OUR LOW PRICE \$3.99  
Ballatore  
Wine..... **299**  
750-ML  
BOTTLE  
AFTER \$1.00 INSTANT COUPON

ASSORTED  
Gallo Livingston  
Wine..... **549**  
3-LITER  
BOTTLE

OUR LOW  
PRICE \$10.99  
Ten  
High..... **799**  
1.75-LITER  
AFTER \$3.00 MAIL-IN REBATE

Jack  
Daniel's..... **1199**  
750-ML

Malibu  
Rum..... **899**  
750-ML

Smirnoff  
Vodka..... **699**  
750-ML

MAX PACK  
Jose  
Cuervo..... **1199**  
MAX  
PACK

Coor's Light  
Beer..... **549**  
12-PACK  
N/R-BTL.

EVERYDAY LOW PRICE  
Bag of  
Ice..... **69¢**  
BAG

• Please Drink Responsibly-Don't Drink and Drive •

## Health & Beauty Care Center Red Tag Values

Suave  
Shampoo or  
Conditioner  
**89¢**  
11 TO 15-OZ.  
BTL.

SAVE 68¢  
Aleve Tablets  
or Caplets  
**249**  
24-CT.  
PKG.

SAVE 98¢  
REG., DM, DYE FREE  
Dimetapp  
Elixir..... **399**  
4-OUNCE  
BOTTLE

SAVE 28¢  
Playtex Handsaver  
Gloves..... **99¢**  
1-PAIR

SAVE 18¢  
ASSORTED VARIETIES  
Colgate  
Shave Cream..... **79¢**  
11-OZ.  
BTL.

4-OZ. AEROSOL, 1.75-OZ. SOLID  
OR 1.7-OZ. ROLL-ON  
Suave  
Deodorant..... **129**  
EACH  
SUAVE LOTION \$1.29, 10-OZ. BTL.

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SAVE \$1.94  
AA OR AAA  
Duracell  
Batteries..... **429**  
8-CT.  
PACKAGE

SAVE \$1.74  
Duracell  
Batteries..... **349**  
9 VOLT 2-COUNT PACKAGE  
"C" OR "D" 4-COUNT PACKAGE

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# Day at Shop 'n Save

## Frozen Food & Dairy Department Red Tag Values

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**Lucia's  
Pizza**



**2/\$6**  
16 TO  
22-OUNCE

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**Kraft  
Shredded  
Cheese**



**2/\$3**  
8-OZ.  
PKG.

PRE-PRICED \$1.99  
**Kraft  
American  
Singles**



**1 79**  
12-OZ.  
PKG.

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**World Cafe  
Sanchos.....**

**2/\$3**  
10.3-OZ.  
PKG.

REGULAR OR LIGHT  
**Kraft Philly  
Cream Cheese.....**

**87¢**  
8-OZ.  
BRICK

GRATED  
**Kraft Parmesan  
Cheese.....**

**2 99**  
8-OZ.

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**Welch's Frozen  
Grape Juices.....**

**89¢**  
12-OZ.

MEDIUM  
**Kraft Cheese  
Whiz Salsa Dip.....**

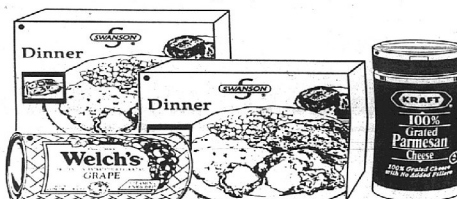
**1 99**  
10.5-OZ.

EVERYDAY LOW PRICE  
REGULAR OR LIGHT  
**Kraft Cheese  
Whiz.....**

**2 99**  
18 TO  
16.5-OZ.

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
4-COMPARTMENT  
**Swanson  
Dinners.....**

**3/\$4**  
8.75 TO 11-  
OZ.

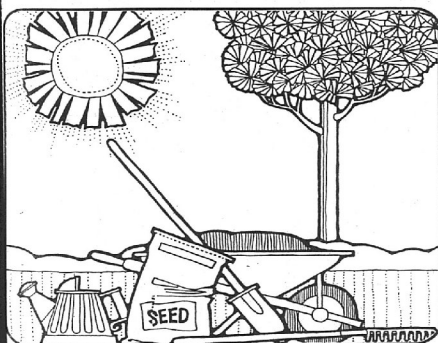


ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**Stouffer's  
Lunch Express.....**

**3/3 95**  
9 TO  
10-OZ. PKG.



## Lawn & Garden Red Tag Values



40-POUND BAG  
TOP SOIL OR  
**Organic  
Peat Moss.....**

**99¢**  
BAG

2-CUBIC FOOT  
**Mulch or Pine  
Bark Nuggets.....**

**2 59**  
BAG

FEEDS 15,000 SQ. FT.  
**Scott's  
Lawn Food.....**

**13 99**  
BAG

FEEDS 15,000 SQ. FT.  
**Scott's  
Weed & Feed.....**

**19 99**  
BAG

VEGETABLE OR FLOWERING  
**Bedding  
Plants**

**7 99**  
PER  
TRAY

10-INCH  
**Hanging  
Basket.....**

**8 99**  
EACH

2-GALLON  
**Rose  
Bush.....**

**5 99**  
EACH



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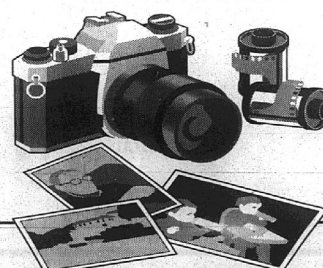
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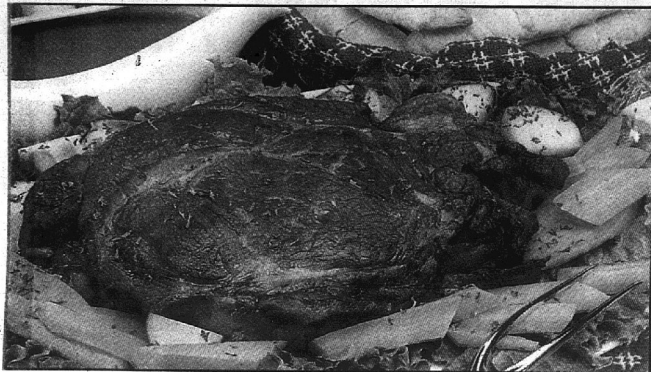
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lb. FAMILY  
PACK

USDA CHOICE BEEF  
**Boneless  
Charcoal Steak**

**179**  
lb. FAMILY  
PACK

FROZEN TENDERBIRD  
**Skinless, Boneless  
Chicken Breast**

**679**  
3-POUND  
BAG  
LIMIT 3 PACKAGES

USDA CHOICE BEEF  
**Boneless  
Shoulder Roast.....**

**179**  
lb.

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
Oscar Mayer  
Lunchables.....

**99¢**  
4.5-OZ.  
PKG.

FRESH  
Johnsonville  
Original Bratwurst....

**199**  
lb.

LITTLE  
Oscar Mayer Pork  
Sausage Links.....

**219**  
lb.

Field Original  
All Meat Franks.....

**99¢**  
1-LB.  
PKG.

ALL VARIETIES EXCEPT BEEF  
Seitz  
Bologna.....

**139**  
1-POUND  
PACKAGE

PATTIES OR NUGGETS  
Tyson  
Chicken.....

**2/\$5**

FAMILY PACK  
Tender Boneless  
Beef Stew Meat.....

**189**  
lb.

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Shaved Boiled Ham**

**299**  
lb.

**Old Wisconsin  
Swiss Cheese**

**399**  
lb.

**Sweet Georgia  
Vidalia Onions**

**38¢**  
lb.

Fresh Daily  
Steak Buns.....

**89¢**  
6-CT.  
PKG.

Farm Fresh  
Catfish Nuggets

**189**  
lb.

Cinnamon  
Pull-A-Parts.....

**169**  
22-OUNCE  
PACKAGE

Fresh Black Tip  
Shark Steaks.....

**299**  
lb.

Florida  
Yellow Corn.....

**148**  
5-COUNT  
PACKAGE

WASHINGTON STATE  
Granny Smith  
Apples.....

**348**  
8-POUND  
BAG

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## In 'Mrs. Doubtfire'

## Williams fine father figure

By Jane Cosby  
Correspondent

Although the role of fathers has changed dramatically in the last few decades, you may not be ready for the way Robin Williams takes fatherhood to a new extreme in his hilarious performance as newly divorced father Daniel Hillard in "Mrs. Doubtfire."

When Hillard's wife, played by Sally Field, asks him to leave and decides to get a divorce, he realizes that one day a week with his three children will not be enough for him.

So when he finds out his ex-wife is advertising for a housekeeper to watch the children after school, he applies for the job dressed as Mrs. Doubtfire, a proper British nanny.

Williams' energetic highjinks in drag and his brilliant comedic talent make the movie tremendously entertaining for most ages.

The movie is rated for children ages 13 and older because it is sprinkled with language that may be offensive to some, but stays fairly tame. There also are sexual innuendos and jokes, but again it is tame stuff and won't even be noticed by most children. There are no

edged sexual scenes or any nudity. (125 minutes, PG-13 rating.)

**LADY WITH A STORY:** Jessica Tandy's portrayal of Grace McQueen in "The Story Lady" is delightful.

She plays an old woman who moves in with her adult daughter and hates all the planned activities offered for older adults in her new community.

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Ed Begley Jr. plays the evil white-collar "suit" who tries to exploit the situation and turn the kind, gentle story lady into a network nanny and make a fortune in the process.

Stephanie Zimbalist plays a hit with children, and she is "discovered" and quickly finds herself vaulted onto national network television.

In the end, the mother turns over a new leaf to finally give her daughter the attention she so desperately needs. (93 minutes, Unrated-no objectionable content.)

Jane Cosby is a former teacher and the mother of two. Do you have a little-known favorite family film? Send the name, distributor and the year it was made with your name and telephone number to: Family Theater, Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.

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